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## FIVE MURDERERS ARE EXECUTED

Chicago Assassins Pay the Penalty for Their Atrocious Crimes.

MEN HUNG ONE AT A TIME

Quartet Killed Truck Farmer and Tried to Sell Loot—Fifth Slew Clerk and Was Convicted on Finger Print Evidence.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—For the first time in the history of this county five Chicago murderers were executed on the gallows in the Cook county jail here today.

Among those executed was Thomas Jennings, a negro, the first slayer in criminal history ever arrested, convicted and executed on the evidence of his own finger prints. The others who suffered death were Frank and Ewald Shiblowski, Philip Sommerling and Thomas Schultz, convicted of slaying Fred W. Guelzow, Jr., a truck farmer. They kept up a bold front to the very day of death. They made a showing of bravado and joked with their visitors.

**Men Executed One at a Time.** Members of the clergy remained with each man until the last. They took part in the death march and remained on the gallows during the executions.

The executions did not take place simultaneously as it was feared the men might attempt a demonstration, as was the case when the anarchists were hanged. The men were taken to the gallows one at a time. The first execution took place at ten o'clock.

The first white slayer went to his death at 10 o'clock.

The trap was sprung from under the first white slayer at 10:10, and it wasn't until 10:29 that the physician pronounced him dead. The rest of the quartet were then brought in, one at a time, and executed, and at 11:20 the noose was slipped over the head of Jennings, the negro, and he, too, was legally strangled.

Governor Deneen, on the recommendation of the board of pardons, refused to commute the sentences of the quartet of slayers. Great efforts on the part of many prominent persons in Chicago, and more especially those engaged in settlement work on the West side, were made to have the sentences of Thomas Schultz and Frank Shiblowski commuted to life imprisonment.

The governor and the board of pardons considered that the jury which tried the cases discriminated carefully and that their judgment was in harmony with the evidence.

**Murder Occurs October 20, 1911.**

Guelzow, who was a young truck gardener, was waylaid and murdered on a lonely road near Bowmanville, on the night of October 20, 1911, according to the confessions of his slayers. Their efforts to sell his horses resulted in their arrest on suspicion of theft the following day before the police knew that the murder had been committed. Ewald Shiblowski was wearing the dead man's boots and when interrogated by the police as to where he got them told of the murder, implicating himself, his brother, Frank, and other members of a neighborhood gang.

Guided by Frank Shiblowski, the police found Guelzow's body in the woods where the murderers had dragged it. The skull was crushed and there were deep knife wounds in the body.

**Tell How Crime Was Done.**

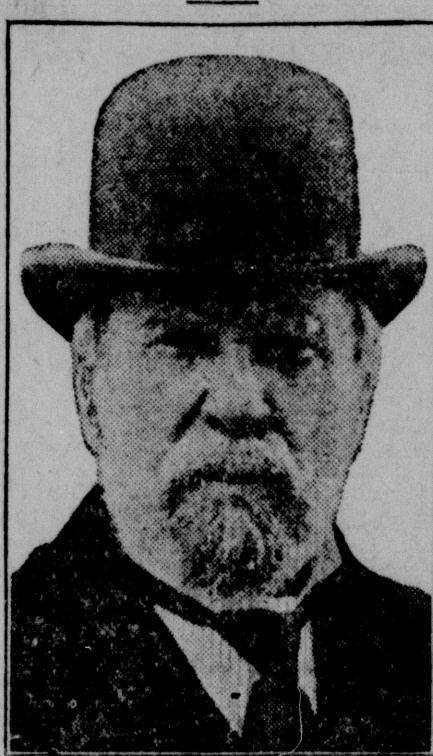
At the inquest the six prisoners testified to their individual parts in the killing of Guelzow. The farmer was driving to town with a load of produce, when the bandits stopped his horses and ordered him to get down from the wagon. He pleaded with them to take his money and spare his life, and for answer they felled him with a club and beat and stabbed him to death. They hid the body, jumped into their victim's wagon and drove away.

The six were placed on trial November 13 and all were convicted November 18 of murder in the first degree.

**Negro Killed Railway Clerk.** Jennings, a negro burglar with a long criminal record, shot and killed Clarence J. Hiller, chief clerk of the Rock Island railway system, in an attempt to rob the victim's home, 1837 West One Hundred and Fourth street, September 19, 1910. Jennings was at liberty on his second parole from the state prison at Joliet at the time. Leaving the Hiller premises, he left the mark which today cost him his life.

On the railing of the rear porch of the Hiller home, detectives found finger prints clearly marked in the fresh paint. These prints were proved to have been made by Jennings. Jennings was sentenced to the gallows February 24, 1911. He gained three delays by appeals. His last reprieve was granted by the state supreme court June 14, 1911.

JAMES J. HILL



The builder of the Great Northern railway told the Stanley steel investigating committee how he acquired in the interests of his railroad, for a mere \$4,500,000, one lands and railroad property in the Mesaba range which he now values at \$500,000,000. The above picture was taken from a specially posed photograph taken immediately after he concluded his testimony.

Hill was sentenced to be hanged February 24, 1911. He gained three delays by appeals. His last reprieve was granted by the state supreme court June 14, 1911.

Relatives of the four Guelzow murderers last night said their last good-bye. More than forty men and women crowded the narrow passageway before the death chamber. They cried out hysterically against the law that demands the giving of four lives as the penalty for the taking of one.

**Women in Collapse.**

With faltering steps, many of the women had to be half carried by the guards to the elevator; they passed out of the corridor as the first blows of the carpenters erecting the gallows sounded through the building.

Julia Kline, the 16 year old sweetheart of Thomas Schultz, who was to have been married Oct. 21, the day following the murder, was one of the last to say farewell.

Jennie Shiblowski, wife of Frank Shiblowski, held the infant baby up to the bars for the father's final kiss. The child was born two weeks ago, and the mother, worn out by worry over her husband's crime and impending execution, had fainted earlier in the day, but had returned for her husband's parting caress.

Parents of the four condemned prisoners were there. The cries of anguish appeared to inspire the prisoners with rage, for they cursed and rebuked them.

**Mother Shrieks and Sobs.**

Mrs. Shiblowski's parting with her sons was dramatic. She tore her hair and fought with friends who led her away.

"Oh! God forgive them if they hang both of my boys!" she wailed. "Oh! God forgive them! To think that the world and the law can be so hard as to take away a mother's sons."

"I want to stay with them. I won't go home," she shrieked, as she struggled to return. "Can't someone do something to save them? Save them for their mother! They have been taught a lesson and will be good boys now."

**McMAHAN CALLED BY DEATH OF RELATIVE**

W. B. McMahan was called to Danville, Pa., today by the death of a relative and will probably be gone a week.

**ADJUDGED INSANE.**

A commission in the county court last evening adjudged Ed Richensperger of Sublette to be insane and he was taken to Watertown this afternoon by Deputy Sheriff R. R. Phillips.

**MRS. SENNEFF ILL.**

Mrs. Jacob Senneff of Crawford avenue is ill.

C. H. Knodle, Elgin, is visiting in Dixon.

## ACKERT MAY PLAY IN GAME TONIGHT

STAR GUARD IS TUNED UP FOR FRAY WITH POLO—WILL START GAME.

WILL BE SEASONS BIG EVENT

150 Rooters From Polo Will Come With Team—Dixon Will Have a Hard Grail.

Coach Bailey of the Dixon high school basketball team this morning announced that he had had Ackert, the star guard, under an osteopath's care and that in all probability he would start him in the game with Polo tonight. If Ackert is sufficiently strong he will be allowed to play the entire game, but should he at any time weaken Elchenberg will be on the line ready to get into the fray. The brunt of the battle will fall on the guards tonight and Espy will be against Polo's star, Miller. In the last game between the teams Miller scored more points than any man on the team, but Espy says he'll see to it that no such thing takes place tonight. The Polo team will be accompanied by 150 rooters, coming in a special train, and as a result the event is the big one of high school circles. There will be a preliminary between two local girls' teams.

## SENATOR MAGILL'S MOTHER IS DEAD

CANDIDATE FOR U. S. SENATOR LEARNS OF DEATH WHILE SPEAKING IN AMBOY.

While Senator Hugh S. Magill was making a speech yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in Amboy, he was handed a message informing him of the death of his mother, who passed away very unexpectedly at her home in Sangamon county, near Springfield.

Mrs. Magill was 80 years of age. Senator Magill left the platform immediately and started for home.

The senator, in his speech at Dixon on Wednesday evening, spoke of his mother, who he said lived on the old place in Sangamon county.

## WILL REVERSE LAND ORDER

Taft to Change Ruling Made by Roosevelt While President.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Doubt as to the legality of an executive order signed by Theodore Roosevelt two days before he left the White House has caused the transfer back from the forest service to the department of the interior of more than 2,500,000 acres of Indian forest land in California, New Mexico and Arizona. President Taft, it is thought, will sign the executive orders reversing the action of his predecessor.

## BIG PRIZES FOR BOWLING

Western Bowling Congress Opened Today at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 16.—The international tournament of the Western Bowling congress opened here this afternoon. More than twelve hundred bowlers are contesting for the prizes, which are the largest ever offered in a tournament. The biggest purse is \$2,000 for the winners of the five-man team event.

## AMMONIA FUMES KILL MAN

Cap of Condenser Blows Off at Armour Packing Plant.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—One man was killed and three others seriously injured when overcome by ammonia fumes at the Armour packing plant at the stock yards here. The men were making repairs on an ammonia condenser when one of the caps broke and filled the room with fumes.

**Hoist Chinese Flag.**

Rome, Feb. 16.—The Chinese legation here for the first time hoisted the republican flag. The minister also officially announced the proclamation of the republic.

**ATTENDED FUNERAL.**

H. L. Forgham, Sheriff Reid and X. F. Gehant attended the funeral of John Abel at Compton yesterday.

## OFFICER HIGH IN ARMY RETIRED

Adj. Gen. Ainsworth Let Out and Ordered to a Court-Martial.

ACTION BY THE PRESIDENT

Officer's Reports Hit Secretary of War Stimson and the General Staff—Crisis of Long War Department Row.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Adj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth of the army has been relieved from duty at the war department and soon will be ordered before a court-martial. While the charges have not been named, it is understood they will be based on conduct to the prejudice of good order and discipline and perhaps insubordination.

**Hits Stimson or General Staff.** Matters were brought to an issue by a report made last week by General Ainsworth to the secretary of war in connection with the muster and pay rolls and Secretary Stimson felt that the adjutant general had used language that impugned his own integrity and fairness, as well as that of other officers of the department.

The record shows that General Ainsworth remarked that it would be difficult, if not impossible, to formulate any statement that would carry conviction to any one unimpaired of consequences or uninformed as to the needs of the government and the public. It was assumed that he referred either to the secretary or to the officers of the general staff. Again the adjutant general characterized the staff proposal "as a mere subterfuge of the kind that would be scorned by honorable men," and that the proponents "had betrayed a lamentable lack of knowledge." He also spoke of "the cool assurance" of other officers and remarked that "it will be worse than useless to present further facts or arguments here."

**Rapped by the Secretary.** Secretary Stimson in a note to General Ainsworth said that rudeness and ill temper had become habitual on the part of the latter. He also declared the Ainsworth report to be the culmination of a series of outbreaks evidencing "such intolerance or insubordination and such readiness to impugn the motives or the intelligence of those with whom it is your duty to work in association as, if uncorrected, to destroy your usefulness in your present office."

Regarding the attack upon himself, Secretary Stimson said that he referred the matter to the president, who directed General Ainsworth's release pending disciplinary measures. The action of the secretary of war and the president proved a decided sensation.

**First of His Rank Court-Martialed.**

Never before in the history of the army has the adjutant general been court-martialed. In fact, it is rare to find an instance where any officer of corresponding rank has been brought before a court. Because of his exalted rank it is going to be difficult to assemble a court for the trial of General Ainsworth, who, next to Gen. Leonard Wood, is the senior officer of the army. Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff, has had many clashes with General Ainsworth. Col. H. P. McCain has succeeded General Ainsworth.

## DIXON TEACHERS ATTEND CONFERENCE

A number of local school teachers are planning to go to Amboy tomorrow to attend the local institute and conference, to be held in the high school building there, the announcement and program of which were published the first of the week.

## LAST SESSION OF COURT TOMORROW

The last session of the January term of circuit court will be held tomorrow, when Judge Heard returns from Freeport for the purpose of clearing the term docket. Ed Loan of Maytown will probably be sentenced tomorrow.

**LICENSED TO WED**

A marriage license has been issued to John H. Harris Jr. of Oregon and Miss Florence Moser of Grand Detour.

**PURCHASE STOCK.**

Misses Keane & O'Malley returned last evening from Chicago, where they have been purchasing millinery supplies for the opening of the spring season.

Charles Reynolds of Rockford was here yesterday. Stanley Cryor of Oregon is visiting friends here.

## ELKS MOVE WEEK FROM TUESDAY

LAST SESSION IN THE OLD CLUB FEB. 26—FIXTURES TO BE MOVED NEXT DAY.

OPENING BALL COMES SOON

Date of This Big Event Depends on Speed of Interior Finishers—Building Nearly Finished.

The last meeting of the Dixon Elks in their present lodge rooms will be held a week from next Monday, Feb. 26, and on the following day the work of removing the fixtures to the new clubhouse will be begun. The new building will not be entirely completed by that time, but lodge members are desirous of getting out of the present quarters by the first of March and it has been decided to make the removal then. The date for the dedicatory ball can not be set for some time, as the setting of that date will depend entirely upon the progress made in finishing the new building.

## DIXON WOODMEN UP IN ARMS

SEND COMMITTEE TO PROTEST ON HIGH RATES OF THE ORGANIZATION.

The Dixon camp M. W. A. last evening joined the insurgent class, by appointing a committee to attend the Elgin meeting, to be held in April, for the purpose of protesting on the recent increase in rate of the big organization. The matter was thoroughly discussed and it was decided to do what could be done toward having the recent action of the national convention rescinded. The committee appointed from the local camp is Attorney Mark Keller, F. D. Palmer and C. H. Knodle.

In addition to the above action, the camp adopted several candidates for membership and made plans for the big hard-time social to be held in the hall next Tuesday evening, to which all the friends of the order are invited.

## POLO MAN HURT IN PENN. WRECK

W. F. BAIN OF THAT CITY CLOSE TO DEATH IN DISASTROUS SMASHUP.

W. F. Bain of Polo was one of the injured passengers in the wreck of the Pennsylvania Limited at Huntington, Pa., yesterday, in which three passengers were killed and 67 injured. Mr. Bain, who was a New York passenger, suffered back injuries and was badly shaken up.

**SON BORN.**

An 8½ pound son was born Wednesday at 7:45 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holt of 1901 Peoria avenue. Mother and child are reported as doing well. As Mr. and Mrs. Holt are the parents of two girls, the advent of the little man is doubly welcome.

## MRS. FRANK ANTHONY IS CONVALESCING

Reports from Sterling are to the effect that Mrs. Frank Anthony, who recently submitted to a critical operation, is convalescing very satisfactorily. Dr. Fairchild of Clinton, who had charge of the operation, was in Sterling yesterday and pronounced Mrs. Anthony's condition very pleasing to him.

## BOUGHT SUPPLY OF SPRING MILLINERY

Miss Hattie Mulkins arrived home from Chicago last evening, where she has been for several days purchasing millinery supplies.

ler transacted business in Ashton today. Stanley Cryor of Oregon is visiting friends here.

## MAY DOUBLE TRACK NELSON-PEORIA BRANCH

GOVERNOR W. R. STUBBS



Gov. W. R. Stubbs of Kansas has issued a statement announcing his intention of becoming a candidate for the United States senate against Senator Charles Curtis, whose term expires March 3, 1913.

## J. McCAN DAVIS FOR GOVERNOR

CLERK OF ILLINOIS SUPREME COURT; FORMER NEWS-PAPER MAN.

The political atmosphere is not cleared up any by the announcement of J. McCan Davis, clerk of the Illinois supreme court and a widely known public man, that he is a candidate for governor.

McCan Davis is a popular man and will get considerable support. He will probably draw votes from several of the candidates already announced.

## MISS MAY FUNERAL SUNDAY.

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth May, who died at her home, 829 West Fourth street yesterday morning, will be held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Altman officiating. Interment will be at Oakwood.

**RESET BOY'S LEG.**

The attending surgeon found it necessary to reset Mitchell Dollemeyer's leg this morning, and it is now believed the injury will mend satisfactorily. It was necessary to weight the broken leg so it will not be shorter than the other.

**FIRE AT GAULRAPP HOME.**

The fire department was called to the home of J. J. Gaulrapp, 529 Ottawa avenue, at 9 a. m. today to extinguish a fire which had started from hot ashes in the basement. In cleaning out the furnace some ashes had been thrown against a wooden partition, the result being the ignition of the board. The blaze was extinguished before any serious damage was done.

## BOUGHT MILLINERY SUPPLIES IN CITY

Mrs. Phil Woolever arrived home last evening from a business visit in Chicago.

## POULTRYMEN MEET TONIGHT

A very important meeting of the Dixon Poultry association, at which new members of the board of directors will be elected, will be held this evening at Youngman's coal office in Dementtown.

**WEATHER**

Chicago, Feb. 16  
Fair today and probably Saturday  
No change in temperature. Moderate southwest winds.

REPORT IS NOT OFFICIAL, BUT IS BELIEVED TO BE TRUE BY EMPLOYEES OF ROAD.

EXTENDED TO ST. LOUIS?

Rumor Indicates Extension From Peoria to Springfield and St. Louis.

It is rumored in railroad circles that in addition to completing the rock ballasting of their line from Chicago to Clinton and installation of a complete copper circuit telephone system for dispatching purposes, this year the Northwestern is planning extensive improvements in this vicinity which include double-tracking the Peoria branch from Nelson to Peoria and the extension of that branch from Peoria to Springfield and St. Louis.

Although the rumors have not yet been confirmed by officials the reports have spread to such an extent that nearly all the operating employees of the line have heard them, and they are generally believed. It has been known for some time that the company desired a line into the southern Illinois coal fields, inasmuch as the company recently purchased some big mines south of Springfield for their company coal.

**Have Used C. & A. Tracks.**

Since the purchase of the mines the company has been getting its coal over the Chicago & Alton to Peoria. During the winter the shortage of engines on the Alton made it necessary for the Northwestern to send its own equipment and crews over the Alton tracks into the coal field, and many times the crews have been gone from 8 to 10 days.

Since the Peoria branch was built it has been heavily traveled and recently traffic has gotten so heavy it is difficult for all the freights to get over the single track. The present plans, as told by employees in position to know, is to do a great deal of grading on the branch before laying the second track, and eliminate as far as possible all hills.

The branch from Peoria to St. Louis is to be as level as it is possible to make it, indicating that the company intends to seek freight tonnage. The extension of the line to St. Louis will probably mean another passenger train from the main line at Nelson to the Missouri terminal, making Dixon an additional transfer point. Inasmuch as all transfers for the Peoria passenger from the trains on the main line are made here.

## DR. VAN NESS DEAD IN WEST

A FORMER DIXON DRUGGIST IS CALLED AFTER YEARS' ILLNESS.

Dr. VanNess, a former resident of this city, who left Dixon about 30 years ago and who conducted a drug store on First street for many years, is dead and buried from his home in Coacell Bluffs, Ia. Beside his wife he leaves one daughter, Mrs. VanNess was Miss Helen Fletcher, sister of George Fletcher, of the Fletcher planing mill of this city.

Mr. VanNess was ill for about a year previous to his demise.

## PREPARE FOR COAL STRIKE

In expectation of a strike of the soft coal miners which is sure to take place, according to the advices received from the wholesalers, the local dealers are endeavoring to get their bins full of bituminous coal before the middle of March. The proposed date for the strike is April 1, and it is reported that every soft coal miner in this section will go off work at that time.





SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

January 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31.  
You are cool, cautious in some degree, active, restless. Generally truth full, though you lack frankness. You paint your side of the question a vividly pronounced rose color. Are adept at worming out of a scrape. You do not always let one know what you are driving at until you have worked yourself into his or her confidence. Sometimes original in idea.

February 13, 14, 15, 16, 18.  
You are affectionate, tolerably truthful, conscientious in a degree, rather shy, can be affable and courteous. But you have a strong vein of selfishness, that takes in the direction of self-gratification, and you are very domineering. You are very stubborn and willful at times. You are strongly attached to your home. You are skeptical and materialistic to some extent.

February 19, 20, 21, 22, 23.  
You are faithful and earnest in every calling. You see the beautiful side of everything because you do not look at the reverse. You are quick in thought but deliberate in action. You are anxious, fearful, have fine artistic tastes. Are the favorite and pet of the family. You do the best you can, and leave it there. Fond of reading.

Gave Dinner.  
Mesdames H. L. McKinstry and G. C. Stewart entertained at dinner on Thursday at the former's home, the following ladies: Mesdames Robert Smith, H. C. Dixon, A. J. Myers, M. C. Stitzel and daughter Miss Mabel. The favors were valentine cards, red hearts and opera sticks. All enjoyed a most delightful time.

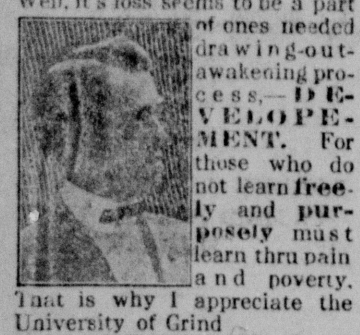
M. E. Choir Rehearsal.  
The hour for rehearsal of the choir of the Methodist church has been changed from Friday evening at 7:30 to Saturday evening at the same hour. All members of the chorus are asked to note the change and to report for rehearsal tomorrow evening instead of tonight.

J. G. B. Dance.  
The dancing party given last evening by the J. G. B. club was fairly well attended and all had a most enjoyable time. The girls proved good entertainers in every way. Music was furnished by Heft's orchestra.

Co. G. Dance.  
The regular Saturday evening dancing party will be given at the armory tomorrow evening by Co. G, and it is expected the crowd will be fully as large as usual. The prize waltz, of course, will be a feature, and music will be furnished by the Heft orchestra.

AND, NOW YE OF THE GRIND! GRIND, GRIND AWAY!!

—Take your own time. Keep it up to your pleasure. Your health does not count for much anyway until after you have lost at least some of it. But what then? ... Well, it's loss seems to be a part of the game of ones needed drawing-out-awakening process. — DEVELOPEMENT. For those who do not learn freely and purposefully must learn thru pain and poverty. That is why I appreciate the University of Grind.



OUR POWERS  
Thought is mind in action. Reason regulates mental and physical action when we are sane and sensible. Food and Drink are the building materials. The CORRECT use of these insures renewed Health, Wealth and Happiness. I can help you to get out of the "grind," cause I've been there.

Dr. W. F. AYDELOTTE,  
Neurologist and Health Instructor  
223 Crawford Avenue, Dixon.

C. G. SMITH & SON  
PLUMBING  
STEAM & HOT WATER HEATING  
111 East First St. Phone 117

Dancing School Tonight.

The Middlers' dancing school will meet as usual this evening at the Rosbrook hall. A social dance, at which Slothower's orchestra will furnish the music, will follow.

Class Entertained.

Miss Bertha Bennett's class of girls of the Methodist Sunday school enjoyed a very pleasant evening at the home of their teacher last evening on Peoria avenue. The affair assumed the form of a February birthday party, the anniversaries of the birth of so many famous men coming in this month. The birthday of Miss Mildred Derr, a member of the class, was also observed. Three or four lively games were played and music was enjoyed. The dining room was beautiful in the class colors of blue and white and the flowers were sweet peas. A huge birthday cake with candles did honor to Miss Derr and each young lady drew one of the lighted candles. Delicious refreshments were served. Altogether the evening proved a most delightful one.

Shower for Mrs. Burkett.

Yesterday over 30 guests held a shower for Mrs. Chas. Burkett at the home of Mrs. John Llevan, 221 East Chamberlain street. The guests were friends and relatives who came to help Mrs. Burkett to celebrate her birthday anniversary. Four generations were represented at the gathering by Mrs. Bremer, who is nearly 90 years old. Mrs. Llevan, Mrs. Burkett and Mrs. Burkett's children. The pleasing affair took the form of an apron shower and many beautiful and appropriate gifts were given. An elegant four course dinner was served and enjoyed. The decorations were in pink and white, the floral decorations being of chrysanthemums. After a very delightful time the guests dispersed, wishing Mrs. Burkett very many happy returns of the day.

Motored From Ashton.

Messrs. and Mesdames Clifford and Alton Luckey of Ashton motored to Dixon from Ashton yesterday and were guests at the Casper Krug home.

Moser-Harris.

John J. Harris Jr., of Oregon and Miss Florence Moser of Grand Detour were married yesterday afternoon by Rev. S. E. Fisher at the Christian parsonage. They were unaccompanied. The young couple will reside on a farm north of Grand Detour.

Valentine Party.

The North Side High School Sophomore club enjoyed a valentine party Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Lucille Miller. There were 30 members present and all enjoyed an unusually pleasant evening. Games and music were on the program and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess and her mother.

Entertained.

Mrs. Matt Sausser entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lenox of Nelson yesterday.

Social and Lecture.

There will be a stereopticon lecture, followed by a social at the Bend school house Saturday evening, Feb. 17th. Rev. Fred D. Stone will deliver the lecture and Mr. Daunter will operate the stereopticon. Conveyances will be at Rowland's corner at 7 to accommodate all who wish to go from town. All the ladies please bring boxes for two. A delightful evening is in store for all who attend.

To Have Sale.

The ladies of St. James church will hold a sale of cake and home made candies tomorrow in the window of Henry's Exclusive Shoe Store. Warm chicken pies will be sold to be taken home for dinner.

Knute Club Dance.

The Knute club will give a dancing party at Rosbrook hall this evening during the basketball game. Slothower's orchestra will furnish their usual excellent music.

Entertained Today.

Mesdames Drew, Hutchinson, Gossman and Frye are entertaining today with a musicale and thimble party at the home of Mrs. Hutchinson, 611 Hennepin avenue. The home is beautifully decorated. We will print the musical program tomorrow. Smith's orchestra furnished fine music. Tomorrow the ladies will entertain with cards.

CITY IN BRIEF

Howard Campbell, who has been ill, is better today.

John Hatchelder, who is very ill with bronchial pneumonia, is somewhat better today.

Slothower's orchestra will furnish music for a dance at Franklin Grove Monday evening. A holiday concert at Wellington Betz of Compton is visiting at the home of H. L. Fordham in this city.

George Putman and wife of Ashton were here yesterday.

Tony and Leon Lauer of Sublette were here Thursday.

Wm. Phillips of this city went to Compton yesterday to attend the funeral of John Abel.

Ed Chadwick of Ashton visited in Dixon today with friends, on his return home from Peoria.

F. W. Coleman of route 4 called on Dixon friends today.

Joe Meurer of Amboy was here today on business.

Mrs. H. Y. Rose is spending a week in Chicago.

Mrs. Geo. H. Squires has closed her residence at Bluff Park and is now at the Nachusa House.

Charles H. Gephard of Rochelle, called on friends in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Stitzel of Nelson was here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Long of Harmon were visitors in this city yesterday.

Frank Rosbrook came out from Chicago last evening for a short visit.

Sam Ulrich and family were in the city yesterday, coming in their automobile.

Clement C. Smith of Milwaukee, vice president of the Lee County Lighting Co. and S. D. & E., will leave on the 21st for a six weeks' vacation trip abroad.

Harry Warner is in Springfield.

Mrs. J. W. Donahue of Chicago spent yesterday with her mother, Mrs. M. Jordan.

Stirred Up!

"Our whole neighborhood has been stirred up," said the regular reader. The editor of the country weekly seized his pen. "Tell me all about it," he said. "What we want is news. What stirred it up?" "Blowing," said the farmer.

STOMACH DISTRESS IS ENDED FOREVER

NO DYSPEPSIA, HEARTBURN, GAS OR INDIGESTION IN FIVE MINUTES

Take your sour, out-of-order tom ach—or may be you call it indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis or Catarrh of Stomach; it do sn't matter—take your stomach trouble right with you to your Pharmacist and ask him to open a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin and let you eat one 22-grain Triangle and see if within five minutes ther it left any trace of your former misery.

The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring there is lack of gastric juice, your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite, pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, biliousness, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness or many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is fickle and nothing tempts you, or you belch gas, or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself in five minutes that your stomach is as good as any that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a little Diapiesin.

LAMBERT-SNOOK CASE SETTLED

The case of the people vs. Ray Snook of Polo, charged with two statutory crimes by Viola Lambert of this city, was settled today by the principals and the attorneys. The details of the settlement were not published.

WAS REAL TO CHILD'S EYES

Life-Sized Model of Dog Brought Joy Into Life of Little New Yorker.

In front of a shop on Fifth avenue, New York, there stands for purposes of advertisement a life-sized model of a little dog. To adult eyes it bears but slight resemblance to a living bow-wow, but to the little girl who caught sight of it one day this week for the first time it was a creature of life and real personality.

Regardless of white corduroy coat and dusty pavement, she dropped on her knees beside the dog and gazed in rapture. After a breathless moment she put out her hand timidly, then drew it back and looked up at her mother.

"Will he bite?" she queried. Then, as her mother shook her head, she stretched out both hands and patted the dog's head. He didn't move, and she went on petting him, blissfully. Then she put her chubby arms about him, and gave him a joyous little-girl hug, and, straightening her small corduroy-coated person once more, she blithely stroked the dog's right ear.

"Tee got to go," she murmured, "muvver says. But I see comin' back."

She looked up at her mother happily. Not once did it occur to her to doubt the model's reality.

"He's so sweet," she gurgled. "I fink he's got the sweetest character of any doggie I ever did see."

COMPOSER FOND OF SOLITUDE

So M. Massenet Discourages Long Visits From Friends, but Without Giving Offense.

The composer, M. Jules Massenet, has a beautiful estate at Egreville, and he does most of his work there, because in Paris he is rarely free from visitors. But Egreville is not so very far away from Paris, and occasionally his friends go out there and with the best intentions in the world disturb Jules Massenet at his work.

Massenet, however, never lets his friends disturb him very long. He has a neat way of suggesting their departure. He receives them cordially and in answer to the inevitable phrase of admiration for his house and grounds he always says exactly the same thing. "Yes," says M. Massenet, "the principal charm of this place is that the railway communications are so bad. The only decent train to get you out here brings you here at 1 o'clock, and to get back to Paris with anything like comfort you will have to leave again at 2 o'clock."

But one day a friend who had taken a country house ten or twelve miles away arrived on a visit. He and his son had come on bicycles. "My dear friend," said Massenet, "in these days of the motor car bicycling is horribly dangerous. I wish you would promise me to give it up."

Way to Remove Tattoo Marks.

Once tattooed, always tattooed, was formerly the rule; but a French army surgeon, Dr. Tranchant, has discovered a method of removing tattoo marks, whether made with India ink or lampblack. According to La Nature, the process consists of first rubbing the skin until a thin layer of the surface is worn away, then applying a mixture of lime, slacked just before use, and powdered phosphorus. The tattooed part having been coated with this paste, a piece of gauze is laid over it, covered with a bandage. The dressing is removed after 48 hours. The scab is allowed to dry in the air, and comes away in about a fortnight, without leaving a scar. If any trace of the tattooing then remains, the treatment is repeated. Dr. Tranchant claims to have applied this treatment in a great many cases with perfect success.

Few Chances in China.

Several years ago the American consuls in China cautioned young men and women in the United States against going there with the hope of securing clerical or stenographic employment. Inquiries are again being received as to such openings and it is well to repeat the caution.

The custom of foreign firms here is to fill all important and well paid positions with persons whom they bring out under contract, so that a person arriving without such document stands little chance of securing positions that pay living wages. Minor situations are filled by clerks, stenographers and typists who live in Shanghai at salaries ranging from \$25 to \$75 United States currency a month. The cost of living here is not less than in the United States and the climate is not uniformly suitable to foreigners.

To Foster American Shipping.

The Honolulu Bulletin announces that "the Home Industry League of Hawaii is starting a movement in aid of the American merchant marine by inducing shippers to divide their trans-Pacific shipping among American bottoms and otherwise foster the patronage of vessels flying the American flag." That journal also calls attention to the desire in the Philippines for a direct steamship line between Manila and the United States, with Honolulu as the half way point.

Empty.

Wiggs—There goes Saphead with a new suit of clothes. Do you know what he reminds me of?  
Wages—No.  
Wiggs—Of a pretty label on an empty bottle.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

The triple bill at the Family theatre which opened last evening for the balance of the week is exceptionally good and is one of such varied character that all classes are sure to be pleased. The famous Redpath Napanees consisting of seven people in a particularly bright school act is one of the best of its kind ever seen at this theatre. The act is interspersed with songs, dances and plenty of comedy that gives it life from start to finish. Nellie Showers appears in a contortion act that is particularly good and proves her to be one of the best in her line.

The dancing duo, composed of two young men, who appear in songs and dances that are new and original. Both young men are good dancers and the act is light and witty. The entire bill is good from start to finish and one that is sure to please the patrons of the Family.

MILLINERS WILL HOLD BIG OPENING

LOCAL HEADADDRESS DEALERS BUYING STOCK FOR SPRING OPENING MARCH 1.

Dixon milliners are getting ready for the annual spring opening, March 1, and within a few days the various stores in the city will be bedecked gaudily with floral decorations and the many dainty and beautiful creations of the trimmers. The local milliners who have been to Chicago purchasing supplies state that the styles this spring are exceptionally pretty and many of the most attractive ones have been ordered for the local establishments.

I. C. TRAIN NEAR PLUNGE IN RIVER

BROKEN BRAKE BEAM ALL BUT THROWS PASSENGER INTO THE ILLINOIS.

Passengers on last evening's north bound I. C. passenger had a narrow escape from serious accident while the train was crossing the high bridge across the Illinois river at LaSalle. While the train was running into the LaSalle yards a brake beam on the smoking car, third from the engine, dropped. Fortunately the train was running slowly and an accident was averted.

H. P. WILLIAMSON DEAD FROM FALL DOWN SHAFT

FATHER OF DIXON YOUNG LADY PASSED AWAY LAST NIGHT.

H. P. Williamson of Peoria, formerly of this city, died last evening at his home after a fall suffered two weeks ago, when he dropped down an elevator shaft.

Miss Alice Williamson of this city is the only child. Mr. Williamson's mother lives in California and a sister resides in Oklahoma. There are also relatives at Ashton. The date of the funeral has not been set. It will be held in Franklin Grove.

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Sourness, Heaviness, Belching and Stomach Distress Quickly Fade Away

Magical MI-O-NA is what you need for any disturbed condition of the stomach.

MI-O-NA stomach tablets will drive all the poisonous gases from your stomach and make your stomach strong enough to digest any food.

For any ailment caused by weak stomach such as sick headache, dizziness, nervousness, lack of efficiency, that tired all in feeling, sleeplessness, bad dreams or bad stomach the morning after too much smoking and drinking—for all these ailments nothing on earth can surpass MI-O-NA. Large box for 50 cents at Rowland Bros. and druggists everywhere.

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WANTED. Girl or woman to do housework in small family in the country. Steady work for right party. Call or address N. care Telegraph office. 40 \*

City National Bank

YOUNG MEN

If you are ever going to be anybody in the business world you must have capital. The one sure way to acquire capital is to begin by saving—Where one man acquired capital to start with by a "lucky strike" ten thousand have failed—Nearly all successful business men began by saving. Next to an increasing savings account the most valuable thing a young man can have in a business way is the council of an upright banker. You can have both, if you will, at the City National Bank. Come in and talk with Mr. Durkes our cashier. Do it this pay day.

Low Colonist One-Way Rates to California, Oregon and Washington, Etc. March 1 to April 15 Variable Routes Full particulars at ticket offices Chicago and North Western Railway

Dollars That Ring Puzzle Find the Man Every man and woman is anxious to buy some article—necessity or luxury—every day of his or her life. Single handed it would take you months to seek out those interested in your line of business. An advertisement in this paper does the work instantaneously. It corals the purchaser—brings him to your store—makes him buy things you advertised.

ANOTHER LESSON

From Dr. Rose Optician

YOU are a parent? Your child is in school a certain number of hours each day, using the eyes constantly. Each year the lessons become harder, books are taken home, studies are continued in the evening, the eyes are being overtaxed, the delicate muscles are strained; yet perhaps no thought is given to helping the eyes. I know that injury results from this neglect. We must realize that, if there is no cause for eye strain, there must be a remedy; the remedy most naturally would be rest for the eyes; this rest can be obtained by wearing resting glasses. My advice to you is, come and get my advice, let me explain to you scientifically why resting glasses should be worn. I believe that parents use very poor judgment in not caring for their children's eyes, when the remedy is so simple and the cost is so slight.

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If you cannot call, write M. H. BROWN, D. D., 32 Quincy St. Chicago, Ill. Or 318 Fulton St., Peoria.

Next visit to Dixon, Nachusa House Tuesday, February 20th, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Edward Ward and family of Al-beria, Can., are visiting at the home of Waldo Ward in this city.



## DEMENTTOWN

Scoop, our new star, is on his way. He will probably arrive in Dixon tomorrow noon in time to give a short preamble of his proposed adventures here. Scoop is the highest priced man in the country and the Doings are especially fortunate in securing him. Watch for the opening chapters.

Siebolt, after reading that Dr. Wiley was going to endeavor to find out what hash is, refused to commit himself. He said it might be anything. And he told the truth, say we.

The per capita circulation in this country is now \$34.35. Now you can understand why it has been so hard for you to buy coal.

James Allen says he was of the opinion that Esperanto was the name of a breakfast food or a hair tonic, until he read in the paper that it was a new language.

Most of the young lady pianists in Dixon who always tell you they can't play anything much are telling you the truth.

Mayor Vaile has a neat way of demonstrating the difference between a typewriter and a stenographer. Says he: Most anyone can run a typewriter but no one can run a stenographer.

In some parts of the country there are still fellows who are trying to win a solid gold washed watch by guessing how many beans there are in a glass jar.

And in Dixon there are all kinds of people who are trying to get satisfaction by kidding themselves into believing that when all the ice has gone out of the river and the frost is out of the ground the gas and electric service will be good.

There should be a law compelling all circus parades to go past school houses.

The man who doesn't believe in perpetual motion is the one who has never had to buy shoes for a school kid.

A Near Catastrophe.  
The Polo Limited, in charge of En-

gineer Clark Bellows and Conductor Ed. Foley, both of Polo, running special from Polo to Dixon last evening, went into the ditch at Plumb Hollow bridge north of this city, but fortunately no one was hurt.

The limited was running late, as a special trip from Polo to Oregon had been ordered by Trainmaster Frazer of Polo. Just how the accident occurred is not known, but it delayed traffic about 40 minutes, until a freight train in charge of Conductor Josh Houpt came to the rescue.

The crew of the limited, in addition to Engineer Bellows and Conductor Foley, were Fireman Clayton Trump, Brakeman Claude Krebs and Flagman Ray Snook.

The narrow escape from a serious wreck has caused Superintendent Joe Glavin to reduce all of the men to freight service, and he has cut out drinking coffee, going on the ice cream wagon.

Something You Never Saw.  
A hen that lays every day.  
A truthful fisherman.  
A man that wouldn't like some kind of an office.

Goose Hollow Letter  
Mrs. Wm. Higgins of our town is practicing up to go on the stage and be an actress. After she has been divorced a couple of times more she will be fully qualified.

There's going to be another case of matri-money in Goose Hollow pretty soon. One of the pretty girls is going to strike it rich by marryin' a man who owns a nickel picture show.

Hank Purdy has stopped drinkin' a good many times in his life. In fact he quits every night.

Clinton Fahrney visited with his friends in Sterling last evening. Geo. Olmstead of Sterling was in Dixon yesterday.

## DECLARES CHIEFS AIDED BOMB PLOT

President Ryan Included in Startling Charges Made by Federal Attorney.

40,000 LETTERS TELL STORY

McManigal Was Sent About Country on Missions of Destruction, Alleges the Prosecution—All But Six of Men in Custody.

Indianapolis, Feb. 16.—Charges—specific and sensational—that the dynamite conspiracy was conducted with full knowledge of members of the executive board of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, including President Frank M. Ryan, were made public here by District Attorney Charles W. Miller.

Mission of Destruction.  
The district attorney alleges that the conspiracy, extending over years, was recorded on paper, and that Orville E. McManigal, the confessed dynamiter, was shifted over the country on missions of destruction.

It was declared that the prosecution of the defendants—there are fifty-four, of whom forty-eight have been arrested or taken into custody—will proceed with speed and that the cases likely will be carried through the summer. The defendants who have not yet been taken are William K. Benson, John J. McCray, Frank K. Painter, Patrick Ryan, Milton H. Davis and J. W. Irwin.

District Attorney Miller, in making his startling charges, announced the contents of an indictment known as that covering "unconsummated acts" of the conspiracy, and it is to be the basis upon which the government intends to conduct its prosecution.

Conducted Through Mail, Charge.  
The indictment charges Ryan, Herbert S. Hockin of Detroit, Michael J. Young of Boston, John T. Butler of Buffalo, and Frank C. Webb of New York, with conducting the conspiracy through the mail, and names all of the fifty-four defendants as abettors.

It declares that a regular system of pointing out nonunion steel and iron construction jobs was carried out and that the executive members not only contributed money to buy explosives, but assisted in the work McManigal was to do.

The basis of all the charges lies chiefly in 40,000 letters and telegrams taken from the iron workers' international headquarters. These letters purport to be between Ryan, Hockin, Webb and various other officials and business agents.

## DRUGS WRECK VICTIM

Doctor Chloroforms Man Pinned Under Burning Debris.

Gives Brakeman Handkerchief Soaked in Drug Just Before He Perishes in the Flames.

Yarmouth, Me., Feb. 16.—Pleading for chloroform to ease his suffering Harry Corliss, a brakeman, pinned under the wreckage of a freight train which collided with another freight here, was given a handkerchief saturated with the drug, which he applied to his nostrils just before he and two other men were burned to death in the debris, before the eyes of many powerless to render aid. The wreck was on the Grand Trunk railroad near the station at North Yarmouth. The freights collided with terrific impact and the wreckage caught fire at once. Three men in one of the locomotives were buried beneath the mass of heated iron, around which was piled the wreckage of freight cars, burning fiercely.

## HEADS OFF ROCKEFELLER

Refused Permission to Vote Stock in Waters-Pierce Oil Company.

St. Louis, Feb. 16.—Henry Clay Pierce, president of the Waters-Pierce oil company, refused to permit John D. Rockefeller and his Standard Oil associates to vote their \$2,780,000 worth of stock in the Waters-Pierce, on the grounds that their effort to obtain control of the Waters-Pierce company was an attempt at continuance of the oil trust in a new form and to corner the oil output in Mexico.

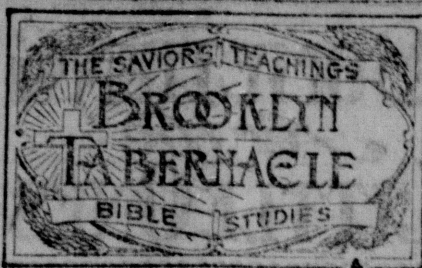
## 'MONEY TRUST' IS IN HOUSE

Committee Orders Favorable Report on Investigation.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The rules committee of the house authorized a favorable report on the Puffo resolution for the so-called money trust investigation. Debate in the house on the resolution will begin tomorrow. A lively discussion is likely.

## Enlistment Now Five Years.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The amendment to the Hay military bill introduced by Chairman Hay providing that the period of enlistment in the United States army be extended from three to five years, was passed by a vote of 110 to 73 in the house.



PREPARE YE FOR THE KINGDOM.

Luke iii, 1-17—Feb. 18.

Repent ye, for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand.—Matthew iii, 2.

JOHN THE BAPTIST was the last of the Prophets and Jesus declared that none of them was his superior—"There hath not arisen a greater Prophet than John the Baptist—and yet I say unto you that the least in the Kingdom of Heaven is greater than he." (Matthew xi, 11.)

Every member of the Kingdom of Heaven class must be higher than John because begotten of the Holy Spirit. They are reckoned as members of the House of Sons, while the Prophets belong to the preceding House of Servants.—Hebrews iii, 5, 6.

God proposed before the foundation of the world that He would redeem man and would establish His Kingdom for their restoration. The Redeemer of the world was to be the King by whose reign of a thousand years the work of Satan would be undone; the head of the Serpent would be crushed and humanity would be uplifted out of sin and death and be brought back to the condition in which Adam was at first.

Necessarily to the Jew First.  
Although God had not mentioned this elect class which He purposed should be members of the Messiah, His Bride, nevertheless God determined that the opportunity to become members of this elect, special class should first of all go to Abraham's natural seed. For the three and a half years of Jesus' ministry, and for a further three and a half years after His death, the privilege of becoming His Bride and joint-heir was limited to Israel after the flesh.

Later, it was sent on equal terms also to the Gentiles. Saint Paul tells us that it was necessary that the Gospel Message should go first to the Jews because this was the Divine arrangement. But he adds, "Israel hath not obtained that which he seeketh for"—the best of God's gifts, the privilege of becoming members of the spiritual Israel—but the election hath obtained it and the rest were blinded." (Romans xi, 7.)

The blindness is not to be forever, but merely until the completion of the elect, spiritual class—then the blindness is to pass away and Israel is to be saved or recovered to the Divine favor lost eighteen centuries ago (See Romans xi, 25-33).

As Jesus declared, "My Kingdom is not of this world (Age)," and as He did not establish His Kingdom at His first advent, but merely began the work of calling the "elect," so the work of John the Baptist was merely to the Jew and proportionately only was he the antitype of Elijah. A larger antitype of Jesus, and of Elijah and John as forerunners, we may now see.

Jesus in the flesh, and all His faithful members in the flesh for eighteen centuries, have constituted the antitype of John the Baptist. The King whose Kingdom they announce will be composed of Jesus and His glorified Bride, beyond the veil. These soon shall take the Kingdom and reign gloriously as Abraham's Seed for the blessing of all the families of the earth.

The Church has cried "in the wilderness" in the sense that she has been alienated and separated from the world. She has called upon all who would hear to prepare for Messiah's Kingdom. She has told more fully than did John the Baptist of the effect of Messiah's Kingdom—the leveling up of the poor, the straightening out of the crooked things, that thus all flesh might see, appreciate, understand, experience the salvation of God. Both John and the Church declare that this salvation is to be brought through Jesus and His glorified Bride in Kingdom power. The point we are making is that while John the Baptist was an antitype of Elijah and was forerunner or herald of Jesus, so, only more particularly, the Church in the flesh is a higher antitype of Elijah, and still more particularly a herald of the Messianic Kingdom.

Jesus did a harvesting work for the Jewish nation only. He gathered their wheat into the garner of the Gospel Age by begetting them of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost and onward; and He "burned up" the nation in a time of trouble with which their Age ended, in A. D. 70. But now for the larger, full harvest—world-wide. In the end of this Age, all the "wheat" class are to be gathered into the heavenly garner by the change of the First Resurrection, and in the time of trouble coming all others will be cut off from all association with the Church and from all opportunity of membership in it—as tares they will be burned—reduced to the level of the masses of mankind. But, thank God! at that time will begin the work of blessing the masses of mankind—all the families of the earth—by the glorious, Messianic Kingdom!

Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come?"

Caracas, Venezuela, Feb. 16.—Gen. Manuel A. Matos, minister for foreign affairs, expressed official pleasure over the news of Secretary of State Knox's coming visit. Preparations on a grand scale for the visit have been started.

Sells Ill Horse for Sausage; Fined.

New York, Feb. 16.—Max Glass, a horse dealer, was fined \$300 here on conviction of sending a horse afflicted with glanders to Kearney, N. J., to be slaughtered and used in sausages to be disposed of abroad.

## A GREAT DISCOVERY

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Resorcin is one of the most effective germ destroyers ever discovered by science, and in connection with Beta Naphthol, which is both germicidal and antiseptic, a combination is formed which destroys the germs which rob the hair of its natural nourishment, and also creates a clean, healthy condition of the scalp which prevents the development of new germs.

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We have a remedy which is chiefly composed of these ingredients, a combination with other extremely valuable medicinal agents. We guarantee it to positively cure dandruff and to grow hair, even though the scalp in spots is bare of hair. If there is any vitality left in the roots it will positively cure baldness, or we will refund your money. If the scalp has a glazed, shiny appearance it's an indication that baldness is permanent, but in other instances we believe baldness is curable.

We want every one troubled with scalp disease or loss of hair to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. If it does not cure dandruff and grow hair to the satisfaction of the user, we will with out question or subterfuge, return every cent paid us for it. We print this guarantee on every bottle. It has effected a positive cure in 93 per cent of cases where put to a practical test.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is entirely unlike and we think in every particular, better than anything else we know of for the purpose for which it is prescribed. We urge you to try this preparation at our entire risk. Certainly we know no one better guarantee to give you. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Dixon only at our store The Rexall Store, C. M. Campbell & Son, 105 First St.

## HERRICK IS CONFIRMED

Senate Puts Stamp on Former Governor for French Ambassador.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The nomination of former Gov. Myron T. Herrick of Ohio as ambassador of the United States to France, to succeed Robert Bacon, resigned, was confirmed by the senate.

## Mme. Maeterlinck Quits America.

New York, Feb. 16.—Mme. Maurice Maeterlinck has left for Europe on the steamer La Provence. She was enthusiastic over everything American from beautiful women to Harlem flats.

## ROBBERS HOLD UP A CITY

Paris Thieves Smash Window Before Crowds and Get \$40,000.

Paris, Feb. 16.—Boulogne-sur-Seine, a suburb of Paris, was the scene of an audacious robbery by highwaymen, mounted on bicycles. The men invaded the main street in daylight, alighted in front of a big jewelry store and, after smashing the windows, grabbed a lot of booty. The people passing in the street began shouting for the police, whereupon one of the highwaymen threw a powerful bomb into the crowd. The bomb failed to explode. On seeing this, the robbers pulled revolvers and frightened the crowd and the police back. They then escaped with booty valued at \$40,000.

## ADMITS KILLING OF GOEBEL

Dying Man in Arkansas Says He Shot Kentucky Governor.

Helena, Ark., Feb. 16.—Fatally wounded in a duel with a bartender here, James Gilbert, who came from Kentucky, declared he was the man who fired the shot that killed Governor Goebel of Kentucky in January, 1900. Gilbert said he had been a member of the Hargis faction, notorious in Kentucky for two generations. His story cannot be verified.

## 'GLAD HAND' OUT FOR KNOX

Venezuela Waiting to Give Him a Hearty Reception.

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# BARGAIN SALE SPECIALS

During the Bargain Carnival which opens tomorrow and continues until Saturday night we will feature the following Special Bargains.

1 lot of 7 Axminster Rugs, size 9x12 in pretty floral and conventional patterns, very good values at \$22.50 to \$25.00, sale price... **\$17.98**

1 lot Ladies' Misses' and Children's Sweater Coats, in grey, red, and white, and two color effects, values up to \$3.50 included in this assortment. Special price, each... **\$1.00**

Laces—Val., Linen, Torchon and Imitation Baby Irish—bargain sale, 12 yards for... **50c**

Lot Ladies House Dresses in gingham, percale, etc., \$1.00 and \$1.25 value, bargain price... **79c**

1 lot House Dresses in light and dark patterns, gingham, percale, lawn etc., values from \$1.98 up to 2.50, sale price... **\$1.39**

Handkerchiefs—Ladies' Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular 8c value, sale price, 6 for... **39c**

1 lot Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs regular 5c value, bargain sale 7 for... **25c**

Ladies' Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, good values at 15c each, sale price, 6 for... **65c**

Ladies' Fleece Hose—in one lot, all sizes regular price 25c, sale price... **19c**

1 lot Ladies' Fleece Hose, good values at 15c, bargain sale, per pair... **11c**

Ladies' Flannelette Kimonos, \$2.50 and \$1.98 values at... **\$1.50**

Ladies' Flannelette Kimonos, \$1.50 values for... **\$1.19**

Ladies' Flannelette Kimonos, \$1.00 values for... **79c**

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Everybody welcome to services and reading rooms.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**

Rev. T. S. Scott of Marengo, Ill., will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, morning and evening.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH.**

Rev. F. D. Altman, Pastor.  
The regular Sunday program will be carried out next Sunday.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Samuel E. Fisher, Minister.  
The largest audience of the fall and winter was present last Sunday morning. The reception given the Young Men's class by the Young Ladies' class on Wednesday evening was a booming success.  
A Rally program has been arranged for Sunday evening, Feb. 25th. There will be special music and five speakers will occupy five minutes each. You must come.  
"The Philadelphia Letter: The Faithful Church" will be the subject for Sunday morning. This will be the seventh study in the series on "The Messages to the Seven Churches."  
In the evening the pastor will deliver a sermon on the subject, "God's Power to Save, or The Gospel Defined."

**SUGAR GROVE CHURCH.**

Rev. Fred D. Stone will preach at Sugar Grove Sunday at 3 p. m.

**EVANGELICAL CHURCH, NORTH SIDE**

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor.  
K. L. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.  
At 7:30 p. m. Dr. S. W. Lehman of this city will speak on "Faith, Service and Hope."  
Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.  
Next Tuesday afternoon, W. H. & F. M. S. will hold another medal on-tet in the church, to which all the Missionary societies of Dixon are and will be cordially invited.  
Everybody welcome to all services and you are especially invited to hear Dr. Lehman on Sunday evening, Geo. A. Smith, Pastor.

**GERMAN LUTHERAN.**

Theo. Drexel, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.  
Main service at 10:30.  
Communion with God Man's Supreme Destination, will be the topic treated in the sermon. Text, John 1, 5-10.

**ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.**

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.  
Quinquagesima Sunday.  
Holy Eucharist, 7:30.  
Sunday school, 10:00.  
Morning prayer, 11:00.  
Come thou with us and we will do thee good.

**METHODIST CHURCH.**

Public worship at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
The pastor will preach at the morning service.  
In the evening he will give an illustrated address on Life of Lincoln, showing about fifty stereopticon views.  
The men's chorus of 25 voices will furnish the music, singing as a special number, "Illinois."  
Those not worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited to all services of the Methodist church.  
Fred D. Stone, Pastor.

**PEOPLE'S CHURCH.**

A. C. McHenry will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. at the People's church. The topic will be "Making Good, or the Goal of Human Achievement."

**NEWS OF THE DAY IN AMBOY****HIGH SCHOOL PLAY POSTPONED—HAPPENINGS OF TIMELY INTEREST.****Pay the Solicitor.**

John Thome, solicitor for the Telegraph, will be in Amboy Saturday, and those in that city who wish to pay up their subscription may settle with him.

The play, Hicks in College, to be given by the pupils of the high school, which was advertised for this evening, has been postponed until next Tuesday evening, Feb. 20. Tickets will be on sale at Aschenbrenner's store Friday morning.

The ladies of the W. R. C. will serve a dinner at noon Saturday, the 17th, in their hall at the corner of Main and Mason streets. Price 25c. All are invited.

Next Monday afternoon the Woman's club will hold an open meeting at the home of Mrs. C. H. Wooster on Mason street. This meeting will be addressed by Atty. C. H. Wooster on the laws of Illinois concerning women.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Congregational church meets with Mrs. E. C. Gridley Wednesday Feb. 21.

Chas. Buckingham was in Dixon Thursday.

Mrs. Bernard Friel and daughter, Belle, went to Dixon Thursday.

Miss Eloise Berkley was up from Mendota one day last week.

Wm. Blair started Saturday for his home in Iron Mountain, Mich.

Mrs. Minnie Hegert has sold her farm a few miles north of Amboy, and expects to come to town to reside.

Mrs. N. F. Felker went to Chicago Tuesday to spend the week with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Partridge.

Miss Sophia Clinemark is home for a few days from Maytown, where she has been sewing for some time past.

The firm of Brierton & Hupach has dissolved partnership. Alva Brierton will continue business at the old stand.

The Arbutus Embroidery club was entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Louise Hegert at her home on Metcalf street.

Mrs. C. C. Jacobs and Mrs. A. I. Morgan entertained the members of the card club Wednesday afternoon with a Victrola musicale.

Mrs. Alice McCoy of Boone, Ia., and daughter, Mrs. Anna Dacey of Green River, Wyo., were guests of Mrs. McCoy's sister, Mrs. Patrick Murtha of this city from Tuesday to Thursday.

The fire alarm sounded about 11 a. m. Tuesday when the roof of the R. L. Jenkins residence on Blackstone street was discovered to be on fire. The fire was soon extinguished, the only damage being a small hole in the roof.

**GOOD ROADS.**

In order to demonstrate the benefits that would accrue to the farmers by the betterment of wagon roads, the Illinois Central Railroad Company has caused to be constructed one mile of road on the Minnesota Division just west of Dyersville, Ia., and one mile on the Illinois Division between Aetna and Noga, Illinois.

This is an illustration of the up to date methods of the Illinois Central Railroad company, and undoubtedly will be an incentive for the state and local authorities to continue the good work.

**RAT IS SOLD AS PET DOG**

The renewal of the fashion for small dogs has led to a remarkable case of fraud, the victim of which is one of the best known women in Paris society. Walking up and down the fashionable side of the Avenue de Bois de Boulogne was a man who had several toy dogs to show off, ostensibly for sale. One of the smallest of them was a particularly diminutive specimen of the griffon. Finally a woman stepped up to ask its price. The man made the little dog perform several tricks, and then, after some minutes' conversation, informed her that he had a still more remarkable specimen in his coat pocket. He then fished out a little creature scarcely more than half the size of the first.

The woman concluded what she thought was a bargain and what the man said was a sacrifice. She put the little one in her muff, went off to luncheon and, on getting home again, pulled him out from his hiding place. For a minute or two the animal showed fear, but then, to her great amazement and that of her servant, the little griffon suddenly started toward the window and ran up one of the curtains with the speed and agility not at all unlike the best known qualities of a mouse. The butler and footman were called, and there was an exciting chase about the drawing room before the little wonder was captured. The new owner was then rather more horrified than surprised to find that her griffon was nothing but a rather oversized rat that had been sewed into a dog's skin.

**CHINA'S DISAPPEARING JEWS**

The Jewish race, which has preserved its race integrity elsewhere, has found the vast numbers of China too much for it. Remnants still remain of a colony that settled in Kai-Fong twenty centuries ago, but their race traditions are only a vague memory. William Edgar Gell, who has visited them, writes:

"The early annals tell of them, and there is good reason to believe that they have been in China two thousand years. But for three centuries they have gathered at this capital, and have degenerated with it. Two hundred years ago they had a handsome block of buildings, with a synagogue sixty by forty. Sixty years ago they had suffered by a great flood, and only two hundred Jews were left. In 1865 Dr. Martin found that they had pulled down all their buildings and sold the materials, some being built into a mosque. A later observer reported that some had turned Buddhist, some Moslem, and some were studying the Confucian classics. Today we found that only seven families remained; the very soil had been sold, and is being carted away to raise the level of other parts, so that a stagnant pond covers the ancient site. The wretched survivors seem to get their living by transporting the earth, though they so far recollect their past as to have a few rubbings of the former inscriptions to sell. Their religion has evaporated, for they have no Hebrew schools and could not read them if they had; only they still eat no pork, nor worship idols, nor burn incense to their ancestors. Israel in Kai-Fong is a has-been."

**WIFE'S WORDS WERE FATAL**

To have lived under the same roof for a quarter of a century with his wife without either speaking to the other and to die of heart failure when she broke the silence was the fate of Louis Roser, capitalist, of Maysville, Ky. Seated at the dinner table Mrs. Roser broke the silence by asking her husband to have a cup of coffee.

"I believe I will," he replied.

With these words he fell back in his chair, stricken with heart trouble, and died.

In his will Roser left everything to his wife and requested that his body be cremated and the ashes cast into the Ohio river from the suspension bridge in Cincinnati.

**MEASURING STARLIGHT**

Starlight has been measured in comparison with sunlight and the following results have been announced: The light received from a star of the first magnitude like Vega is about one forty-thousandth-millionth of the sun's. Young places the total starlight received by the earth at the value of 3,000 first magnitude stars, thus making the whole starlight to be one-sixtieth that of the full moon. Light has an actual mechanical pressure and can be measured in the laboratory. It has been found that the sun's light in itself presses against the earth with a force something like 70,000 tons.

**WOODMEN ISSUE MEETING CALL****WAGON LOAD OF PRINTED MATTER WAS SENT OUT FROM MINNEAPOLIS.**

Call Asks for All Woodmen Camps or County Mass Meetings to Send Delegates to Insurgent Meeting.

**BIG MEETING ON FEBRUARY 22**

Secretaries of Modern Woodmen of America camps have received copies of a circular call to the Modern Woodmen assembly, organized in Minneapolis Jan. 31, which will meet there Feb. 22 to fight against the adoption of the insurance rates provided for in the Mobile law. Local camps are already preparing to send delegates to the convention in Minneapolis.

Wagon Load of Mail.  
A wagon load of mail was sent out from the Minneapolis headquarters of the assembly, the mass of it being addressed to leading Woodmen officials throughout the country and contained 45,000 circulars calling upon them to send delegates to the national convention. The call was signed by the chairman and secretary of the assembly and read as follows:

Send Delegates.  
"Modern Woodmen camps or county or district mass meetings are urged to send delegates to a conference to be held in Minneapolis Feb. 22 at 2 p. m.

Make Decision.  
"This meeting will decide whether or not to resist the action taken at the head camp at Chicago and if a contest is decided upon a definite plan will be agreed upon. The entire jurisdiction is urged to participate in these important deliberations. So send delegates."

Big Document.  
The document is voluminous, printed in the form of a three column, four page paper and bears the heading, The Veta. It gives the table of insurance rates established by the

Mobile bill and contains a denunciation of the proceedings of the Chicago convention. It appeals to the members not to allow their insurance to lapse and contains a statement by A. L. Sundean, leader of the opposition to the rate increase at Chicago.

Members Should Wait.  
"Camps that have passed resolutions to surrender their charters should not do so," declares Mr. Sundean's statement. "Members who have declared they would quit may regret it if they do. A state cannot be blamed if it feels like seceding from the jurisdiction but that should not be the first plan to think of or talk of. It should be the last plan. Litigation might be helpful in upsetting or overcoming the action of the special head camp, but we should not hasten into court.

Try Other Plans.  
"No doubt plans can be evolved that will prove satisfactory to the members. They may be unusual plans. They may be unexpected, they may stagger those who thought a vote of the delegates was final and conclusive, but surely there is a way out of this mess without resorting to secession.

The call aims to organize every state by legislative districts to fight the adoption of the Mobile bill by different legislatures.  
A meeting of the executive committee of the assembly will be held in the Ryan hotel, St. Paul, on the evening of Feb. 16, when plans for submission to the national assembly will be formed.

LLOYD LAMBERT WAS PAINFULLY INJURED  
Lloyd Lambert of Peoria avenue, was painfully injured yesterday afternoon when a big load of hay, on top of which he was riding, upset and threw him to the ground with considerable force. He was at the Bryan farm, eight miles northwest of the city, for the load of hay and had just started his trip home when the accident happened. As he was driving out of the farm entrance the load upset. Whether the victim struck a wagon which was standing near is not known, but he sustained painful bruises on the back of the head and over the body. Fortunately no bones were broken but he will be confined to his bed for some time.

WALTON.  
Feb. 14—Mrs. Thos. Haley and son George returned from Chicago Monday night after a two weeks' visit with relatives.  
Miss Mollie Garland of Harmon is visiting at A. M. Head's this week.  
Dr. M. H. Schanhorst who has been in our town the last few months left Monday for Kansas and from there he will go to Missouri to join his wife, who is visiting her parents there.  
Mrs. Annie Buckingham of Dixon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Fortin.

Head. Bros. received a carload of farming implements this week.  
Mrs. John Burns returned to her home at Amboy Sunday after spending a week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Haley.  
Henry Klapprodt and family visited Sunday at E. H. Jones'.  
J. J. Morrissey and P. J. Hoyle went to Chicago Tuesday evening with three carloads of stock.  
Ed. Morrissey is ill at his home southwest of town, with a bad cold.  
The C. B. & Q. railroad had extra trains on the road this week, there being too much freight for the way freight to handle.  
Much grain is being brought to the elevators; the farmers are afraid of bad roads and are anxious to get the grain hauled to market while roads are good.

SOUTH DIXON.  
Feb. 15—Fred Feldknechtner shell corn last Thursday.  
Willie Daehner was kicked by a horse last week, making it necessary for him to consult a doctor. He seems to have quite recovered, however.  
John Huyette and his father motored to Dixon Saturday in the latter's auto.  
A good many neighbors attended the two sales last week, Wm. Gup-till's and Ben Baus'.  
Mrs. Wilbur's baby is very sick.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Hayett are entertaining relatives from the east.  
John DuBois has two men picking corn for him.  
Charlie Grobe finished shredding Wednesday.  
Louis Scott shredded Wednesday afternoon and John Huyett is shredding today.

THE BEST TIME OF THE YEAR TO BUY  
**Home Furnishings**  
This week and next our February Sale of Home Furnishings will be the feature of shopping days in Dixon. Whether you have twenty, fifty or a hundred dollars to invest, you will get the greatest value at our Store.

**RUGS** All sizes, \$1 and up. A splendid opportunity to economize on all Floor Coverings.

**FELT MATTRESSES** Art Ticks, Imperial Edges, 45 pounds, guaranteed not to pack, \$6.50 up

Iron Beds, \$1.50 and up  
Iron Beds, Vernis Martin Finish, 2 in post, \$9.00  
3 in post Brass Beds, \$13.50 up  
Springs at All Prices

**FINE LINE OF DINING ROOM FURNITURE**  
Extension Tables, China Closets, Buffets, Box Seat Dining Chairs.

**FINE BED DAVENPORT, PULLMAN PATENT**  
Golden Oak Davenport, Upholstered in No. 1 Leather, a choice piece.

**THREE PIECE PARLOR SUIT**  
Oak or Mahogany, Upholstered in Leather. Choice Parlor Tables.

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Turkish Rockers and Fancy Rockers too numerous to mention. See them.

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50 Black Underskirts, values 85c to \$1.25, your choice.....	<b>69C</b>
100 German Fleeced Cotton Blankets, each.....	<b>17C</b>
10 yards Best American Prints for.....	<b>45C</b>
42 inch Pillow Tubing 14c per yard; 45 inch same, per yard.....	<b>16C</b>
\$1.25 and \$1.50 New Lawn Waists, choice.....	<b>99c</b>
5 yards 9-4 Pepperell Sheeting for.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
15 yards Pepperell 36 inch Muslin for.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Toile De Nord Gingham, 12 1/2c values, at per yard.....	<b>8c</b>

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# My Lady of the North

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"WHEN WILDERNESS WAS KING"  
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## CHAPTER XXXVII.

## The Furling of the Flags.

The close of the long and bitter struggle had come; to those who had cast their fortunes with the South it seemed almost as the end of the world. I had thought to write of those last sad days, to picture them in all their contrasting light and shadow, but now I cannot. There are thoughts too deep for human utterance, memories too sacred for the pen. I rejoice that I was a part of it; that to the lowering of the last tattered battle-flag I remained constant to the best traditions of my house. I cannot sit here now, beneath the protecting shadow of a flag for which my son fought and died, and write that I regret the ending, for years of peace have taught us of the South lessons no less valuable than did the war; yet do I rejoice today that, having once donned the gray, I wore it until the last shot of my voice its grim message to the North.



"I felt convinced that if my bullet reached Major Brennan it would injure you."

It is hardly more than a dream now, sometimes vague and shadowy, again distinct with living figures and historic scenes. I require but to close my eyes to behold once more those slender lines of ragged, weary, hungry men, to whom fighting had become synonymous with life. I pass again through the fiery rain of those last fierce battles, when in desperation we sought to check the unnumbered blue legions that fairly crushed us beneath their weight. I saw it all; I held a part in it all. Upon that April day which witnessed the turning of the last sad page in this tragedy, I stood without the McLean house, ankle deep in the trampled mud of the yard, surrounded by a group of Federal officers. Within was my commander, the old gray hero of Virginia, together with the great silent soldier of the North.

Few about me spoke as we waited in restless agony. No one addressed me, and I think there must have been a look in my face which held them dumb.

I know not how long I waited, standing beside my horse, with head half bowed upon his neck, seeing the figures about me as in a dream. At last the door was flung open, and those within came forth. He was in advance of them all. In that pale, stern, kindly face, and within the depths of those sorrowful gray eyes, I read instantly the truth—the Army of Northern Virginia was no more. Yet with what calm dignity did this defeated chieftain pass down that blue lane, his head erect, his eyes undimmed—as dauntless in that awful hour of surrender as when he rode before his cheering legions of fighting men. Only as he came to where I stood, and caught the look of suffering upon my face, did he once falter, and then I noted no more than the slight twitching of his lips beneath the short gray beard.

"Captain Wayne," he said, with all his old-time courtesy, "I shall have to trouble you to ride to General Hill's division and request him to cease firing at once."

I turned reluctantly away from him, knowing full well in my heart I was bearing my last order, and rode at a hard trot down the road between long lines of waiting Federal infantry. I scarcely so much as saw them, for my head was bent low over the saddle pommel, and my eyes were blurred with tears.

The sun lay hot and golden over the dusty roads and fenceless fields. The air was vocal with blare of trumpets and roll of drums, while everywhere the eye rested upon blue lines and long columns of marching troops. I formed one of a little gray squad moving slowly southward—a mere fragment of the fighting men of the Confederacy, making their way homeward as best they might. As the roads forked I left them, for here our paths diverged, and it chanced I was the only one whose hope lay westward.

Silently, thoughtfully I trudged on

for an hour through the thick red dust. My horse, sorely wounded in our last skirmish, limped painfully behind me, his bridle rein slung carelessly over my arm. Out yonder, where the sun pointed the way with streams of fire, I was to take up life anew. Life! What was there left to me in that word? A deserted, despoiled farm alone awaited my coming; hardly a remembered face, scarcely a future hope. The glitter of a passing troop of cavalry drew my mind for an instant to Edith Brennan, but I crushed the thought. Even were she free, what had I now to place at her proud feet?—I, a penniless, defeated, homeless man? At a cross-roads a Federal picket halted me, and I aroused sufficiently to hand him the paper which entitled me to safe passage through the lines. He handed me back the paper and motioned me to pass on. I had gone a hundred yards or more when I became aware that he was calling after me.

"Hey, there, you gray-back!" he shouted, "hold on a bit!"

As I came to a pause and glanced back, wondering if there could be anything wrong with my parole, he swung his cap and pointed.

"That officer coming yonder wants to speak with you."

Across the open field at my right, hidden until then by a slight rise of ground, a mounted cavalryman was riding rapidly toward me. For the moment his lowered head prevented recognition, but as he cleared the ditch and came up smiling, I saw it was Caton.

"By Jove, Wayne, but this is lucky!" he exclaimed, springing to the ground beside me. "I've actually been praying for a week past that I might see you. Holmes, of your service, told me you had pulled through, but everything is in such confusion that to hunt for you would have been the proverbial quest after a needle in a haystack. You have been paroled then?"

"Yes, I'm completely out of it at last," I answered, feeling to the full the deep sympathy expressed by his face. "It was a bitter pill, but one which had to be taken."

"I know it, old fellow," and his hand-grasp on mine tightened warmly. "If you have been beaten there is no disgrace in it, for no other nation in this world could ever have accomplished it. But this was a case of Greek meeting Greek, and we had the money, the resources, and the men. But, Wayne, I tell you, I do not believe there is today a spark of bitterness in the heart of a fighting Federal soldier."

"I know, Caton," I said—and the words came hard—"your fighting men respect us, even as we do them. It has been a sheer game of which could stand the most punishment, and the weaker had to go down. I know all that, but, nevertheless, it is a terrible ending to so much of hope, suffering, and sacrifice."

"Yes," he admitted soberly, "you have given your all. But those who survive have a wonderful work before them. They must lay anew the foundations; they are to be the rebuilders of states. You were going home?"

I smiled bitterly at this designation of my journey's end.

"Yes, if you can so name a few weed-grown fields and a vacant negro cabin. I certainly shall have to lay the foundation anew most literally."

"Will you not let me aid you?" he questioned eagerly. "I possess some means, and surely our friendship is sufficiently established to warrant me in making the offer. You will not refuse?"

"I must," I answered firmly. "Yet I do not value the offer the less. Sometime I may even remind you of it, but now I prefer to dig, as the others must. I shall be the stronger for it, and shall thus sooner forget the total wreck."

For a few moments we walked on together in silence, each leading his horse.

"Wayne," he asked at length, glancing furtively at me, as if to mark the effect of his words, "did you know that Mrs. Brennan was again with us?"

"I was not even aware she had been away."

"Oh, yes; she returned North immediately after your last parting, and came back only last week. So many wives and relatives of the officers have come down of late, knowing that war is practically at an end, and that our camp has become like a huge picnic pavilion. It is quite the fashionable fad just now to visit the front. Mrs. Brennan accompanied the wife of one of the division commanders from her state—Connecticut, you know."

There was much I longed to ask regarding her, but I would not venture to fan his suspicions. In hope that I might turn his thought I asked, "And you; are you yet married?"

He laughed good-humoredly. "No, that happy day will not occur until after we are mustered out. Miss

Minor is far too loyal a Virginian ever to become my wife while I continue to wear this uniform. By the way, Mrs. Brennan was asking Celia only yesterday if she had heard anything of you since the surrender."

"She is at Appomattox, then?"

"No, at the headquarters of the Sixth Corps, only a few miles north from here."

"And the Major?"

Caton glanced at me, a peculiar look in his face, but answered simply: "Naturally I have had small intimacy with him after what occurred at Mountain View, but he is still retained upon General Sheridan's staff. At Mrs. Brennan's request we breakfasted together yesterday morning, but I believe he is at the other end of the lines today."

We sat down upon a bank, and for the time I forgot disaster while listening to his story of love and his plans for the future. His one thought of Celia and the Northern home so soon now to be made ready for her coming. The sun sank lower into the western sky, causing Caton to draw down his fatigue cap until its glazed visor almost completely hid his eyes. With buoyant enthusiasm he talked on, each word drawing me closer to him in bonds of friendship. But the time of parting came, and after we had promised to correspond with each other, I had stood and watched while he rode rapidly back down the road we had traversed together. At the summit of the hill he turned and waved his cap, then disappeared, leaving me alone, with Edith's face more clearly than ever a torture to my memory of defeat—her face, fair, smiling, alluring, yet the face of another man's wife.

To Be Continued

## U.S. TROOPS IN MEXICO

### New Soldiers Make Serious Contretemps at Juarez.

Mexicans Resist Incroach and an Armed Clash is Narrowly Averted—Rebels Issue Manifesto.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 16.—American soldiers went into Juarez, Mexico, here by mistake and international trouble is threatened. The soldiers were new men here and a company attempted to go around from one international bridge to another on the Mexican side. They were stopped by Mexican guards and the whole town soon was in arms. Cars stopped running, no Americans were allowed to cross and the river was lined with armed Mexicans doing guard duty. The Americans are members of a battalion of the Eighteenth infantry who came from Arizona Tuesday. They were placed under arrest by the Mexican guards. They were under Lieut. M. W. Fields, who says he made a mistake. Later the town quieted down and the men were released.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 16.—A proclamation signed by the Vasquistas commanders in Chihuahua, declaring Vasquez Gomez president of Mexico, giving reasons for opposing Madero and assuring Americans of a friendly attitude has been issued at Palomas, Chihuahua. This place temporarily has been made the seat of the Vasquistas government.

## LYNCH A WOMAN AND MAN

Texas Mob Hangs Both to Same Tree—Negro Killed in Memphis.

Marshall, Tex., Feb. 16.—Unidentified men lynched two negroes, a woman and a man, George Sanders and Mary Jackson, hanging them to the same tree, just across the Panola county line.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 16.—A mob near this city lynched an unidentified negro accused of having attacked a sixteen-year-old white girl. It is said the negro confessed in part.

## TRIBUTE TO MAINE HEROES

Thousands of Veterans Attend Laying of Cornerstone of Monument.

New York, Feb. 16.—Paying tribute to the memory of the heroes and martyrs of the Spanish-American war and the sailors who perished in the destruction of the battleship Maine, thousands of army and navy veterans took part here in the cornerstone laying of the National Maine monument in Columbus circle, at the main gateway to Central park.

## GIRL AND FATHER SLAIN

Bodies Are Discovered on Farm Near Topeka, Kan.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 16.—John J. Rickels, a farmer aged fifty-four, and his stepdaughter, aged fourteen, were found murdered in a slough on the Rickels farm, eight miles north of here. The girl had been shot in the back of the head and the man's head had been crushed by some blunt instrument.

## ALSO, AGED 75, WEDS GIRL

Steel Manufacturer Is Married Secretly in New York.

New York, Feb. 16.—Edward B. Alsop, a Pittsburgh and Washington steel manufacturer, and Miss Jean P. Hill were married secretly here. Mr. Alsop is seventy-five years old and his bride little more than twenty.

## INDICT MAN HIGH UP

### ACCUSED OF CONSPIRACY IN SCHIFF VALET CASE.

Woman in the Case May be Sacrificed by Alleged Conspirators Against Brandt.

New York, Feb. 16.—The indictment by the grand jury today of one of the most prominent figures in the remarkable case which sent Foulke Engel Brandt, former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, to prison under a thirty-year sentence for burglary, and the development of a possibility that a woman in the case may be sacrificed by the alleged conspirators against Brandt—if the alleged conspiracy did exist—to aid their own defense, were the two overshadowing results of the activities in the attempt to gain the young man's freedom.

It was stated on the best of authority that sufficient evidence has been woven around one of the men, who is alleged to have tried to put the young Swede away for life, to warrant his indictment and that formal charges will be preferred against him by the grand jury late today.

Interesting in this connection is the fact that the officials in charge of the grand jury investigation have witnessed to swear that there was a conference at the Criterion club just before Brandt was sentenced, which was attended by Mortimer L. Schiff, Judge Rosalsky, who sentenced Brandt; Howard C. Gans, Police Inspector MacLaughlin and a man named Rothschild. Judge Rosalsky denied that he attended such a conference.

## POSTAL BANK RULE CHANGED

Depositors No Longer Restricted to Persons Who Are Patrons of One Particular Office.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Postmasters at postal savings depositories may now accept deposits from anybody. The regulation restricting depositories to the patrons of a particular office was rescinded in an order issued by Postmaster General Hitchcock.

## THE MARKETS.

### Grain, Provisions, Etc.

	Open-	High-	Low-	Close-
Wheat—	1.02 1/2	1.03 1/2	1.02	1.02
May	1.02 1/2	1.03 1/2	1.02	1.02
July	1.02 1/2	1.03 1/2	1.02	1.02
Sept.	1.02 1/2	1.03 1/2	1.02	1.02
Corn—	.68 1/2	.69	.68 1/2	.68 1/2
May	.68 1/2	.69	.68 1/2	.68 1/2
July	.68 1/2	.69	.68 1/2	.68 1/2
Sept.	.68 1/2	.69	.68 1/2	.68 1/2
Oats—	.42 1/2	.43	.42 1/2	.42 1/2
May	.42 1/2	.43	.42 1/2	.42 1/2
July	.42 1/2	.43	.42 1/2	.42 1/2
Sept.	.42 1/2	.43	.42 1/2	.42 1/2

Flour—Easy; winter patent, Jute, \$3.20; 3.30; 3.40; 3.50; 3.60; 3.70; 3.80; 3.90; 4.00; 4.10; 4.20; 4.30; 4.40; 4.50; 4.60; 4.70; 4.80; 4.90; 5.00; 5.10; 5.20; 5.30; 5.40; 5.50; 5.60; 5.70; 5.80; 5.90; 6.00; 6.10; 6.20; 6.30; 6.40; 6.50; 6.60; 6.70; 6.80; 6.90; 7.00; 7.10; 7.20; 7.30; 7.40; 7.50; 7.60; 7.70; 7.80; 7.90; 8.00; 8.10; 8.20; 8.30; 8.40; 8.50; 8.60; 8.70; 8.80; 8.90; 9.00; 9.10; 9.20; 9.30; 9.40; 9.50; 9.60; 9.70; 9.80; 9.90; 10.00; 10.10; 10.20; 10.30; 10.40; 10.50; 10.60; 10.70; 10.80; 10.90; 11.00; 11.10; 11.20; 11.30; 11.40; 11.50; 11.60; 11.70; 11.80; 11.90; 12.00; 12.10; 12.20; 12.30; 12.40; 12.50; 12.60; 12.70; 12.80; 12.90; 13.00; 13.10; 13.20; 13.30; 13.40; 13.50; 13.60; 13.70; 13.80; 13.90; 14.00; 14.10; 14.20; 14.30; 14.40; 14.50; 14.60; 14.70; 14.80; 14.90; 15.00; 15.10; 15.20; 15.30; 15.40; 15.50; 15.60; 15.70; 15.80; 15.90; 16.00; 16.10; 16.20; 16.30; 16.40; 16.50; 16.60; 16.70; 16.80; 16.90; 17.00; 17.10; 17.20; 17.30; 17.40; 17.50; 17.60; 17.70; 17.80; 17.90; 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# **CLEARING HOUSE FOR ALL WANTS CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING THE PEOPLE'S BUSINESS DIRECTORY**

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY ADS FOUND ON PAGE TWO

## **'Want Ad. Rates'**

25 Words or Less, 3 Times.....25c  
25 Words or Less, 6 Times.....50c  
More than 25 Words, Pro Rate.  
25 Words or Less, 20 Times.....\$1.50  
Ads in this column must positively  
be paid for IN ADVANCE. Money Or-  
der, Checks or Stamps must be en-  
closed in orders by mail.

A LITTLE "CAMPAIGN" OF WANT  
ADVERTISING IN THE TELE-

GRAPH WILL SHORTEN AND  
CHEAPEN YOUR SEARCH  
FOR A BUYER!

A man who wants to buy a horse,  
or a vehicle; or used furniture, ma-  
chinery or office furniture—like the  
man who wants to buy a home, is  
eager to find the best possible BAI-  
GAIN!

Your ad, if you have something to  
sell, will find readers awaiting it who  
want to buy—and who will investi-  
gate your offer if it looks at all fea-  
sible.

## **WANTED**

WANTED. I am prepared to do ex-  
pert shoe repairing on short notice.  
Shoe polish, laces, insoles, rubber  
heels and Dryfoot oil dressing for  
sale. A. H. Beckingham, 108 Henne-  
pin Ave. 1124

WANTED. Poultry of all kinds. High-  
est market price paid. Enquire of  
Leonard Blass, residence, 701 N. Ot-  
tawa Ave., Dixon. Home Phone No.  
13433. 16mo\*

S. Rubenstein, wholesale and re-  
tail dealer in iron, brass, woolen and  
cotton rags, rubber and metals, fur-  
nishes and wool. Home Phone 413.  
Place of business, 114 River St., Di-  
xon, Ill. 16mo\*

Wanted: To know who needs for  
home, office or school use, the best  
atlases ever published by the Cran-  
Publishing House. Latest informa-  
tion from the U. S. Census Bureau;  
statistics, prices, population, irriga-  
tion maps, map of every state, of  
each island possession and of every  
country in the world, etc. All maps  
from new 1911 plates. Most authen-  
tic information all up to date  
questions. The atlas, a fine present  
to a friend. H. V. Baldwin, Dixon,  
Ill. Gen. Agt. for Lee Co. 11tf

WANTED. Work by the day; sweep-  
ing or washing. Mrs. Anna Cook-  
ley, 716 College Ave. 85tf

WANTED. Mink skins of dark color.  
Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Tel. No. 5, or  
992. 1tf

WANTED. WOMEN. Sell guaranteed  
hose; 70 per cent profit; make \$10  
daily; full or part time; beginners  
investigate. STRONG KNIT, Box  
4029, West Philadelphia, Pa. 1tf

WANTED. Laundry work to do at  
home. Can not go out. Enquire at  
No. 85, Lincoln Ave. 1tf

WANTED. Men to learn barber trade.  
An army of graduates running  
shops depending upon us for bar-  
bers. Many jobs waiting. Few weeks  
qualifies. Can't be had elsewhere.  
Write today. MOLER BARBER COL-  
LEGE, Chicago, Ill. 356\*

WANTED. Good inside painters at  
St. Patrick's church, Amboy. Ap-  
ply at once to B. Mallorio, Amboy,  
Ill. 366\*

MEN WANTED, age 18 to 35, to pre-  
pare for firemen or brakemen on  
nearby railroads; \$80 to \$100 month-  
ly. Experience unnecessary; no strike  
Promotion—engineer or conductor,  
\$150 to \$200 monthly. Good life ca-  
reers. State age; send stamp. Rail-  
way Association, Box Telegraph.  
359\*

WANTED. A housekeeper. Address  
Box 18, R. 5, Dixon, Ill. 3512\*

WANTED. A working housekeeper,  
middle age, in a pleasant country  
home, adult family of two. No ob-  
jection to child. Chas. H. Gephart,  
Mendota, Ill. R. 38. 393\*

WANTED. Good girl for general  
housework. Mrs. C. H. McKenney,  
810 Hennepin Ave. 293\*

## **FOR SALE**

### **Choice Dixon Property For Sale.**

The owner of this property has  
been a Dixon resident for a good  
many years and having purchased a  
home in a warmer climate now of-  
fers some of the choicest real estate  
in the city for quick sale. If a good  
investment will interest you investi-  
gate this. Very attractive prices will  
be made. Wm. Philpott, Real Estate,  
Loans and Insurance, Dixon, Ill. 3712

For Sale at a Bargain. 5 passenger  
Jackson automobile in good condi-  
tion. Geo. Shaw. 65tf

As farmers in Canada are going  
broke and land prices tumbling no  
one will buy it. I have talked and ad-  
vertised for ten years that only a  
third or less of either the Dakotas  
was good for farming and the good  
part of S. D. too high to buy. The last  
two crops show what is best. Cavalier  
county had crops in 1910 that paid  
for the land and also in 1911. 1912  
promises much better and I will still  
give you a chance to pay for a farm  
with one crop. As an investment land  
here will pay better interest on \$100  
an acre than land in Ill. at the prices  
it is selling at as there so much of  
the rent has to be paid out for taxes,  
improvements and insurance. Having  
been here over ten years I predict  
Hundred Dollar land here in five to  
seven years. The farmers here are  
buying it and they are making money  
faster than any other farmers in the  
world.  
E. A. WADSWORTH, Langdon, N. D. 16mo\*

FOR SALE. 26½ acres near Dixon  
on stone road, nearly new cottage,  
good barn and other out-buildings.  
best of water; owner sells on account  
of leaving Dixon, otherwise would  
want greater price. Can be had at a  
bargain if taken soon. F. E. Stiteley  
Co., Dixon, Ill. 29tf

FOR SALE. Corn cobs. Geo. D. Laing.  
17tf

FOR SALE. My carpet cleaner and  
engine. John Coffey, Grand Detour  
Road. 366\*

FOR SALE. An Eastman Premo Cam-  
era, No. 4, size 4x5, used but a few  
times. Will be sold cheap. Enquire at  
this office. 15tf

## **FOR SALE.**

6 room house near college, city  
and cistern water, cess pool. Lot  
50x150 ft., good barn. A very nice  
place. Price \$1050, small cash pay-  
ment, balance monthly.

5 room cottage, nearly new and in  
splendid condition. Cement cellar,  
nice lot and not far from business;  
also small barn, city and cistern wa-  
ter. Price \$1150.

6 room house with furnace and two  
lots, some fruit; everything in good  
shape. Price \$1350.

6 room house with 6 lots, just the  
place for garden and chickens; will  
make very easy payments.

6 room cottage, bath, furnace, wa-  
ter and electric lights, well arranged.  
Lot 50x150 ft. (corner) can be had  
for \$1875, is well worth \$2500.

6 room house with 3-2 acre good  
soil, barn and good well. Is a great  
bargain at \$1500.

10 acres of good land with nearly  
new improvements and plenty of  
them. On stone road and close to  
Dixon. Makes a lovely home. Price  
\$3575.

9 room house one block from busi-  
ness, gas and city water. 50x150 ft.  
lot. Ground alone is worth nearly en-  
tire price of property; won't be on  
market long. \$2000.

8 room house, furnace, gas and el-  
ectric lights, good barn, large lot,  
south front, place in excellent con-  
dition, only one block from car line,  
fine neighborhood and close to school.  
Price \$2975.

## **F. E. STITELEY CO.**

Both phones. Dixon, Ill. 28tf

FOR SALE. \$8 takes good cook stove  
with reservoir, good baker; \$3  
takes medium size round oak, good  
condition. \$5 takes painters' outfit,  
including brushes of all kinds and 2  
small ladders. Must be taken this  
week. Cor. Ottawa & Pine St. 393\*

FOR SALE CHEAP. My property in  
Loveland Place, on car line. Four  
lots, 6 room house, barn, well, wood-  
shed, two large chicken houses, gas  
and sewer; plenty of fruit. Will sell  
all or part. Floyd Teachout, Home  
Phone 14687. 1009 Palmyra Ave.  
366\*

FOR SALE. My moving van, sled,  
piano trucks, team, harness and  
storage business. F. R. Fuestman.  
366\*

FOR SALE. Pure bred Poland China  
brood sows safe in farrow to one  
of the largest Big Type males of the  
breed. Also some pure bred White  
Wyandotte cockerels. W. H. Maxwell,  
R. F. D. 1, Dixon, Ill. Home Phone  
911. 3518\*

FOR SALE. Maxwell runabout in first  
class condition. Enquire of Will  
Hoon, North Side store. 39tf

FOD SALE. Good, gentle horse, har-  
ness, blankets, Henney buggy, rub-  
ber tires, and a good cutter. Call at  
912 West 3rd St. Mrs. Hugh Flan-  
nery. 393\*

## **FOR RENT**

FOR RENT. Good 7 room house; pos-  
sion given March 1. Enquire Jos.  
Shorrett, 1213 Douglas Ave. 326

FOR RENT. Furnished rooms with  
heat. Enquire of Mrs. Church, 922  
W. Third St. 384

## **FARM LANDS.**

BARGAINS in improved Minneso-  
ta, Wisconsin and Dakota farms.  
Have some of the best buys obtain-  
able anywhere. Write us. WESTERN  
EMPIRE LAND COMPANY, 222-223  
Plymouth Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.  
mar16\*

## **FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE**

N. W. MISSOURI CORN, CLOVER  
AND BLUE GRASS LAND.  
Missouri State Soil Map Free.  
WRITE TO BAZEL J. MEEK,  
36mo6 Chillicothe, Mo.

## **MARKETS**

Chickens ..... 13  
Butter ..... 5  
Eggs ..... 29  
Lard ..... 10  
Oats ..... 43  
Corn ..... 53  
Chicago, Feb. 12, 1912

Wheat—  
May 101½ 101½ 101½ 101½  
July 95 95 94 94  
Sept 93 93 93 93  
Lard—  
May 68¼ 68¼ 68 68  
July 67¾ 68 67¾ 67¾  
Sept 67¾ 68 67¾ 67¾  
Corn—  
May 52½ 52½ 52 52  
July 47¾ 48¼ 47¾ 47¾  
Sept 41½ 41½ 41½ 41½  
Oats—  
May 1610 1610 1590 1590  
July 1630 1630 1615 1615  
Pork—  
May 915 917 905 907  
July 930 932 920 925  
Ribs—  
May 872 875 865 865  
July 880 880S 870S 870  
Hogs open steady at yesterday's  
average. Left over—959S.

Light—580 @ 620.  
Mixed—590 @ 625.  
Heavy—590 @ 630.  
Rough—590 @ 605.  
Cattle steady. Sheep strong.

Receipts Today—  
Hogs—25,000.  
Cattle—2,000.  
Sheep—6,000.  
Hogs close weak to 5c lower.  
Estimated tomorrow—19,000.

White Satin Flour  
\$5.50 per barrel  
THE DIXON CEREAL CO.

FEED GRINDING  
Our regular days for grind-  
ing feed are Monday,  
Wednesday and Friday.  
GIVE US A CALL  
Fred Glessner Estate  
Eldena, Ill.

Good Lump Coal  
\$3.50 to \$3.75 Per Ton  
WOOD EVER'S COAL OFFICE

## **"IN A BAD WAY"**

Many a Dixon Reader Will Feel  
Grateful for This Information  
When your back gives out,

Becomes lame, weak or aching;  
When urinary troubles set in.  
Your kidneys are "in a bad way."  
Doan's Kidney Pills are for sick  
kidneys.

Local evidence proves their merit.  
Mrs. C. Charlton, 77 Peoria Ave.,  
Dixon, Ill., says: "I was in poor  
health for some time and the result  
of disordered kidneys. My back  
bothered me a great deal, being  
very weak, stiff and lame. I tired eas-  
ily and had various other symptoms  
of kidney complaint. Finally I got a  
box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Leake  
Bros. Co.'s Drug Store and their use  
soon relieved me." (Statement giv-  
en April 14, 1909)

Confirmed Proof  
When Mrs. Charlton was inter-  
viewed on January 5, 1910 she said:  
"Doan's Kidney Pills brought per-  
manent relief in my case. You may con-  
tinue to publish my testimonial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50  
cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,  
New York, sole agents for the United  
States.

Remember the name—Doan's and  
take no other.

## **ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.**

TIME TABLE  
Dixon, Illinois.  
Correct time of all  
trains leaving Dixon  
that carry passengers  
and freight. Daily.  
Daily except Sunday,  
Louth Bound.

123 Express 11:15 a. m.  
131 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.  
191 Amboy Frt. 8:50 a. m.  
North Bound.  
132 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.  
124 Local Mail 5:30 p. m.  
192 Freeport Frt. 12:30 p. m.  
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.  
Correct time of all passenger  
trains leaving Dixon. Daily except  
where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.  
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago  
3:21 a. m. 6:45 a. m.  
6:43 a. m. 7:20 a. m.  
10:46 a. m. 8:30 a. m.  
6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.  
7:21 a. m. 10:15 a. m.  
8:33 a. m. 11:20 a. m.  
14:10:55 a. m. 1:30 p. m.  
20 11:15 a. m. d'ly ex Sun 2:40 p. m.  
18 4:04 p. m. d'ly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.  
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.  
7/4 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

WEST BOUND.  
No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon  
17 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:14 a. m.  
99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.  
5 8:30 a. m. 11:10 a. m.  
13 10:00 a. m. 12:34 p. m.  
19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun 3:43 p. m.  
27 4:35 p. m. 7:29 p. m.  
11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.  
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.  
11 8:30 p. m. 11:05 p. m.  
7 10:16 p. m. 12:53 a. m.  
3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

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## **PUBLIC SALES**

Saturday, Feb. 17—Henry Grobe,  
8 miles northwest of Dixon and 3 1-2  
miles southwest of Woonung.

Monday, Feb. 19—Mrs. S. Drew, 2  
miles east of Dixon on Barlow farm.  
Closing out sale. D. M. Fahrney,  
Auctioneer.

Feb. 20—Patrick Reynolds, 2 1-2  
miles west of Woonung, 5 miles south  
of Polo.

February 20—Oliver Spielman,  
closing out sale, 3 miles east of Di-  
xon on the Dr. Ives farm. Geo. J.  
Fruin, Auct.

February 21—Ed. Knight, 4 miles  
northeast of Dixon on Eldena road.  
D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Thursday, Feb. 22—M. D. Grimes,  
4 miles east of Dixon on the Day-  
ville road.

Monday, Feb. 26—Harry Huyett,  
3 miles south of Dixon on Peoria  
road. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 28, Wednesday—Stock sale,  
at Prairieville. P. B. Harms and S. S.  
Royer.

Thursday, March 5—John Myers, 6  
1-2 miles north of Dixon. Avey &  
Ocker, Aucts.

Mch. 6, Wednesday—F. N. Alter, 5  
1-2 miles north of Dixon. Fahrney &  
Ocker, Aucts.

March 8—Howard Martin's.

## **PUBLIC SALE.**

The undersigned will have a clos-  
ing out sale at her place of residence  
on the Abner Barlow farm 2 miles  
east of Dixon, Ill., on Monday, Feb.  
19, the following described prop-  
erty:

19 cattle, consisting of 11 choice  
milk cows, 7 fresh now and bal-  
ance heavy springers; 1 high grade  
Holstein heifer, 5 yearling heifers, 1  
bull calf 10 months old, 1 high grade  
stock bull 3 years old.

6 head of horses, consisting of 1  
gray gelding 10 years old, weight  
1400; 1 bay gelding 12 years old,  
weight 1300; 1 bay gelding 9 years  
old, weight 1200; 1 bay gelding 10  
years old, weight 1000; 1 buckskin  
gelding 8 years old, weight 1100; 1  
bay mare 8 years old, weight 100, a  
good driver.

8 head of hogs, all brood sows; 2  
old sows and 6 young sows.

Farm machinery of all descrip-  
tion.

6 tons of good timothy hay in barn.  
Shredded corn fodder, 1 stack of  
husked corn fodder; about 60 shocks  
of corn in field. A lot of cobs, 6 bush-  
els of good white seed corn, 3 Ton-  
louse geese; some chickens, a few R.  
I. Reds.

Sale commences at 10 o'clock. Free  
lunch at 12, served by W. W. Tesch-  
endorff. Stand rights taken.

Terms of Sale: 12 months' time  
will be given on all sums over \$10  
by purchaser giving a good bankable  
note with approved security drawing  
6 per cent interest from date. Sums  
of \$10 and under cash, 2 per cent  
off for cash on sums over \$10. No  
property to be removed until settled  
for.

## **MRS. S. DREW.**

D. M. Fahrney, Auct.  
Charles Leake, Clerk.

## **ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.**

The undersigned administrator of  
the estate of Phoebe I. Grimes, de-  
ceased, will sell at public auction, 4  
miles east of Dixon on Dayville road,  
3 miles southwest of Nachusa and 2  
miles south of Grand Detour or  
Thursday, Feb. 22, 1912, the follow-  
ing described property:

9 head of horses, 1 gray horse 17  
years old, weight about 1430; 1 black  
mare 18 years old, weight 1430; 1  
gray mare 22 years old, weight 1,  
100; 1 bay mare 16 years old, weight  
1,000; 1 bay mare 14 years old,  
weight 1000, family broke; 1 black  
mare 4 years old, weight 1100; 1  
black gelding 4 years old, weight  
1100; 1 black mare 4 years old,  
weight 1200; 1 brown gelding 4  
years old, weight 1200.

27 head of cattle, consisting of 23  
choice milk cows and 4 heifers com-  
ing 2 years old.

Farm machinery of all descrip-  
tions.

Household goods of all kinds.  
Sale commences at 10 o'clock, free  
lunch at 12, served by Goetzner-  
ger.

Terms of Sale: All sums of \$5 and  
under cash, on purchases to amount  
of over \$5 a credit of 9 months time  
will be given, purchaser giving a  
strictly bankable note with approved  
security drawing interest at 7 per  
cent per annum from date. Interest  
to be deducted if paid promptly at  
maturity. No property to be removed  
until settled for.

## **M. D. GRIMES,**

Administrator.  
F. D. Kelley, Auct.  
J. B. Lennon, Clerk.

## **PUBLIC SALE**

Having rented his farm the un-  
dersigned will have a closing out sale  
at his place of residence three and  
one-half miles southeast of Dixon  
on the Peru road Wednesday, Feb.  
21, 1912.

The following described property  
Ten head of horses, one iron gray  
mare 6 years old, weight 1300; 1  
black mare 7 years old, weight 1320;  
1 iron gray mare in foal, 9 years old,  
weight 1450; 1 iron gray gelding 4  
years old, weight 1500; 1 sorrel roan  
gelding 3 years old, weight 1300; 1  
gray gelding 3 years old, weight  
1220; 1 iron gray mare 1 year old,  
weight 960; 2 last spring colts, 1  
bay and 1 gray; 1 gray gelding 5  
years old, weight 1200.

Farm machinery of all descrip-  
tion.

Sale commences at one o'clock,  
free lunch at noon, served by W. W.  
Teschendorff, stand rights taken.

Terms of sale: One years time will  
be given on all sums over ten dollars  
by purchaser giving a good bankable  
note with approved security draw-  
ing six per cent interest from date.  
Sum of ten dollars and under cash  
2 per cent off for cash on sums  
over ten dollars. No property to be  
removed until settled for.

## **E. B. KNIGHT**

D. M. Fahrney, Auctioneer,  
J. Wadsworth, Clerk.

## **PUBLIC SALE.**

The undersigned living on the  
farm formerly Wm. Stewart's, situ-  
ated 6 miles northwest of Franklin  
Grove, 8 miles south of Oregon, 9  
miles northeast of Dixon and 1-2  
mile south of Teal's corner, Monday,  
Feb. 19 the following described prop-  
erty:

6 head of horses, 1 horse 12 years  
old, family broke; 1 gray gelding 7  
years old, 1 bay gelding 9 years old,  
1 par of Arabian mares broke to all  
harness, 1 blind mare 10 years old.  
5 head of cattle. 2 cows, heavy  
springers, 2 heifers heavy with calf,  
1 spring calf.

27 head of hogs, 24 sheep, 1 ram.  
7 brood sows and 20 shoats.

Farm Machinery. 1 International  
hay press, horse power; 1 Rock Is-  
land hay loader, new; 2 sulky plows,  
one a Grand Detour and one a Gale,  
2 riding corn plows, 1 corn planter  
with 80 rods wire, 1 3-horse harrow,  
2 disk pulverizers, 1 14-inch plow, 1  
Champion mower nearly new, 1 box  
wagon, 1 hay rack and wagon, one  
breaking cart, 1 spring wagon, 2 sets  
work harness, 1 grindstone and other  
articles not mentioned.

Household goods: 2 stoves, bed  
and springs, 1 lounge and other  
things.

11 acres of shock corn in field, 15  
tons of hay.

Sale commences at 12 o'clock. Free  
lunch at 12, served by W. W. Tesch-  
endorff. Stand rights taken.

Terms of Sale. 10 months time will  
be given on all sums over \$10, by pur-  
chaser giving a good bankable note,  
with approved security drawing 6 per  
cent interest from date. Sums of \$10  
and under cash, 2 per cent off for  
cash on sums over \$10. No property  
to be removed until settled for.

W. E.